THE WEATHER.
Rain (tonight) Saturday fair. Colder late tonight and Saturday; moderate easterly winds increasing and becoming northerly and westerly.

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CITY HALL NEWS

Health Dept. Employes Want Increase in Pay

Teamsters and common laborers of the health department will appear before the board of health this afternoon and ask for an increase in pay. At the present time the teamsters are receiving $2 a day and the common laborers $1.80. The street department teamsters receive $2 a day, based on 20 cents an hour for ten hours, and the street laborers receive $1.75 a day.

The health department teamsters claim that they are entitled to more pay than the street department teamsters because the latter don't have anything to do except to sit on their seats and hold the reins, while the health department teamsters have to empty the barrels and boxes that are passed up to them by the laborers.

It is not known if the American Hide & Leather company will be heard from at the board of health meeting today. The company has put it up to the board to go either to Toledo, Ohio, or Denver, Colo., to inspect a sanitary beam house such as the company would build in this city and it is very possible that the board or one or more of its members may make the trip. If this tour of inspection is made the matter of a new beam house would be at a standstill until such time as the investigating committee would report.

Included in the matters to be considered by the board this afternoon will be the payment in part, of the board of a young woman who is being treated at Rutland, Mass. The matter came before the board at its last meeting and while the board looked upon it as a worthy case the members thought it would be best to communicate with the authorities at Rutland before taking definite action.

The Mayor Indisposed

Mayor Meehan was not at his office this forenoon. The mayor is indisposed. He has been suffering from a cold for the last week or two and today he was obliged to remain at home.

The Water Supply

Despite the fact that we have had more or less rain the water supply is not very bountiful. There is water enough and to spare but the supply is far below what it has been in other years at this time. The rain that has fallen since the ground froze has been carried off to the rivers, lakes and ponds, and cities that take their supply from any of these places find a good supply at the present time. Lowell's supply comes from the ground and there isn't much water finding its way there at the present time. When the frost starts, however, the ground will take a great long drink. All of the new wells installed by the water department last summer are being used at the present time.

Grade Crossing Business

City Engineer Bowers said today that the grade crossing business in Lowell was moving right along and it is expected that the work of abolishing them will be begun in the very early spring. City Solicitor Duncan went to Boston today to attend a hearing before the railroad commissioners relative to the lowering of the grade of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad in Plain and Lincoln streets. In order to change the grade of a railroad it is necessary that the railroad commissioners should assent to it. In order to make the Plain street crossing a decent one it will be necessary to lower the tracks there about six feet and about 3 1-2 at Lincoln street. The railroads represented at the hearing today were the Boston & Maine, N. Y., N. H. & H., Old Colony and Lowell and Andover.

State Aid Examinations

The examinations of recipients of state and military aid in this city, which were begun by State Aid Agent Stone on Monday, was completed last night after Mr. Stone had visited at the homes of those of the recipients of aid who were too ill or feeble to come to city hall.

PURE MILK

Is produced by healthy cows under sanitary conditions, and there are no more healthy cows, no more sanitary conditions than those at Hood Farm.

Hood Farm Milk is pure milk. It is also rich milk, containing in a recent test 65 per cent. more butter fat and solids than commercial milk that was up to the standard.

Besides all this, it is economical milk. On account of its larger percentage of nutriment it is 14 per cent. cheaper than commercial milk at 7 cents a quart.

Impure milk causes much sickness and removes 6 per cent. to 7 per cent. of our population.

Take Hood Farm Milk. Delivered at 10c a quart in most parts of the city. Telephone 516-4, or send postal to Hood Farm, Lowell, Mass.

TO THE PUBLIC

I desire to say that when I took the agency for ZEMO, it was after a thorough investigation as to the merit and curative properties of this remedy for eczema, pimples and dandruff. I frankly admit ZEMO has far exceeded my expectations as a cure for skin diseases. I am pleased to state that I shall continue the agency as ZEMO gives the best satisfaction of any similar remedy I have ever sold. My customers like ZEMO because it is a clean, vegetable liquid for external use. ZEMO cures by drawing to the surface of the skin and destroying the germ life that causes the disease leaving the skin clean and healthy. It does not soil the clothing or linens and can be used freely on infants.

We will give a booklet on skin diseases and explain to any person how they can be cured at home of any form of skin or scalp disease by this clean, scientific preparation.

A. W. Dows & Co. sell it.

THE NEW COMET

PARIS, Jan. 21.—The comet recently discovered from Johannesburg was visible for several minutes last night from the observatories of southern France and Algeria. It appeared with dazzling brilliancy.

FOUND GUILTY

James F. Logan Convicted of Murder

COLVILLE, Washington, Jan. 21.—James F. Logan, alias Frederick Jahns, last night was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Agnes Jansen, his housekeeper, whose body he took to the woods and cremated. Logan, according to three physicians who examined him as to his sanity, confessed to them that he also killed two other persons.

UNKNOWN VESSEL

Is Aground on Handkerchief Shoal

CHATHAM, Jan. 21—With the break of dawn today the lifesaving patrol of the Monomoy Point station discovered an unknown three-masted schooner aground on Handkerchief shoal. The lifeboat was launched immediately and the crew started for the disabled craft.

The sea was high and the southerly wind increasing in intensity foreboded ill for the schooner which was lying in a dangerous position. The weather was threatening and observers on shore expressed doubt as to prospects of saving the vessel.

WANT MORE PAY

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21.—Demands for increased wages were made on the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. today by the Brotherhoods of Railway Conductors and Trainmen. These demands were presented at a meeting of the sub committees of the railway men's grievance committee and General Manager Higgins of the company. It is believed here that the company will not accede to the demands.

Sweeten Sweeping Day Turmoil

The hard work of a whole day of cleaning house is unnecessary. Clean one room each day by vacuum. You stir no dust to settle in other parts of the house. Avoid the turmoil, save your strength. Use an electric vacuum cleaner.

The Lowell Electric Light Corporation

50 Central St.

LOSS IS $75,000

Caused by a Fire at Danbury

DANBURY, Conn., Jan. 21.—Only concrete pillars and walls are standing to mark the site of Silver Bros. hat factory which was burned today. The loss is $75,000 with part insurance. Nearly 300 employes are made idle. The factory is a new one and consisted of frame and concrete buildings.

DIV. I, A. O. H.

WILL OBSERVE 41st ANNIVERSARY ON FEB. 3

A well attended meeting of Division 1, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall. Five candidates were initiated and five propositions were received. During the course of the evening remarks were made by Brothers O'Hare, Brick and McMullen. Brother O'Hare, chairman of the committee appointed to attend the St. Patrick's day convention, submitted a report which was accepted.

At the conclusion of the business meeting the bazaar committee entertained about 100 young ladies who are connected with the tables at the coming event. A social time was enjoyed. Brother Daniel Hogan, chairman of the committee, and Brother John O'Loughlin, secretary, addressed the ladies.

Div. 1 will observe the 41st anniversary of its organization on February 3.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Francis Dane of Hamilton, with no occupation given, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court, giving his liabilities as $87,673, and his assets as $60,000. Of this amount $46,000 is secured.

The unsecured debts amount to $39,000, and are mostly for money borrowed and for merchandise.

Cure for Liquor Habit

Give Orrine and Destroy All Desire
Sold Under Guarantee

Orrine is the most successful cure for the liquor habit that the world has ever known. It is a home treatment, given without publicity, detention from business or loss of time, and is absolutely guaranteed if the simple directions on each box are carefully followed. So remarkable have been the changes wrought for suffering drinking men by Orrine that leading ministers, charity workers, philanthropists and druggists everywhere recommend the treatment. Thousands of endorsements have been given for the remedy.

Read this one from Riker-Jaynes Drug Co.:

"The sales and the medicinal results from the use of ORRINE are entirely satisfactory to us. We have heard much for and nothing against ORRINE from people who have used it. We are pleased to give it our hearty indorsement."

Orrine is prepared in two forms. No. 1, a powder, absolutely tasteless and odorless, given secretly in food or drink. Orrine No. 2, in pill form, is for those who wish to cure themselves. Orrine costs only $1 a box. In every box is a guarantee which entitles you to a refund of your money if Orrine fails to effect a cure. Write for Free Orrine Booklet (mailed in plain sealed envelope) to Orrine Co., 604 Orrine Building, Washington, D. C. Orrine is for sale in this city by Riker-Jaynes Drug Co., 121-123 Merrimack st. They know Orrine is a reliable and efficacious remedy for drunkenness and they will not offer you a substitute.

The Stores OF THE Lowell Merchants Association

Will Close Saturday Afternoon

From 2 to 3 O'Clock

During the funeral services of the late CHAS. A. MITCHELL of The Bon Marche Dry Goods company.

LOWELL MERCHANTS ASSO.,
Fred C. Garrett, President.
Arthur A. Spero, Secretary

SILVER WEDDING

Of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Barton Today

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Barton are today observing the 25th anniversary of their marriage, and a host of friends will unite with The Sun in wishing them long life and continued happiness and prosperity. The celebration took the form of a reception which was held at the hospitable home of the happy couple, 78 South Walker street. The reception was held between 3 and 5 this afternoon and will be continued from 8 to 10 this evening. Mr. and Mrs. Barton in receiving their guests were unattended, but by a happy coincidence, the ushers were the same two gentlemen who officiated in a similar capacity at their wedding 25 years ago, Mr. John Crawford and Mr. Charles A. Gale. An orchestra furnished music during the reception, and a dainty lunch was served. The interior of the house was prettily decorated. There were many guests from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton were married in this city by Rev. Dr. Smith Baker on Jan. 21, 1885, and have resided here continuously ever since. There were four generations present at the wedding, one of whom was Mrs. Barton's grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Messenger of Lawrence, who is now 90 years old.

Mr. Barton is a native of Croydon, N. H., but has resided in Lowell for the past thirty years. He is one of Lowell's best known builders, having constructed the East Merrimack street bridge and laid the foundation for the new Bartlett, Greenhalge and Middlesex county training schools. It was he who built the pontoon bridge for the recent automobile carnival and he has done extensive bridge building all over New England. He has done considerable work for local corporations and has built a number of residences. In politics he is a republican and served in the board of aldermen in 1900 and 1902.

Mrs. Barton, who was Miss Marion Griffin, is a native of this city and is well known here. Mr. and Mrs. Barton have two sons, Sidney C. and Charles L., both of whom live with their parents.

THE O. M. I. CADETS

To Hold Important Meeting This Evening

The O. M. I. Cadets will hold an important meeting in their armory, Immaculate Conception school hall, this evening at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Sullivan desires that every member of the regiment, ambulance corps, buglers and field service men be present, as business of an important nature will be transacted.

PRES. HUNTINGTON

OF BOSTON UNIVERSITY IS TO RESIGN

President William E. Huntington of Boston university has decided to resign from the presidency of that institution, and has already notified the trustees to this effect.

He has not presented his written resignation, but will probably do so after the trustees have considered his request.

This unexpected action on the part of Dr. Huntington was somewhat of a surprise to the students of the university, as during the past seven years which he has been at the helm of the college which has made rapid strides ahead his associations with the students have made him a strong favorite.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FOY—The funeral of the late Mary Foy will take place at eight o'clock Saturday morning from the home of her sister, Mrs. John Mages, 359 Lawrence street. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at nine o'clock. The funeral will be under the direction of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

POWERS—William J. Powers, infant child of Nicholas and Sophia Powers, aged 1 month and two weeks, died last evening at 154 Concord street. The body was removed to the home of the parents, 4 Madison place, off Madison street. The funeral will take place from the parents' residence, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Undertaker John F. Rogers in charge.

CALLAHAN—The funeral of Michael Callahan will take place tomorrow morning at 8.30 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Catherine Reynolds, 95 Andover street, and proceed to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem will be sung. Burial will be in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

FUNERALS

INGALLS—The funeral of Blanche M. Ingalls took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 6 Hazel square, off Coburn street. Services were conducted by Rev. George F. Kenngott. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young.

McGROGAN—The funeral of Joseph McGrogan, infant son of Hugh and Mary McGrogan, who died Wednesday night, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of the parents, 36 Willie street, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Davey.

FIREMEN OVERCOME

Blaze in Building Where Fireworks Were Stored

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Frequent explosions of fireworks lent spectacular features to a lively fire in Bronx borough today in which ten firemen were overcome by smoke and five were shocked by contact with a live wire.

When a dozen firemen entered the building fireworks stored in the basement began to explode and drove the men back while suffocating clouds of smoke caught ten of them and they dropped unconscious. Comrades rushed in, dragged them out and revived them. Five men working in the building stumbled against an electric wire from which the insulation had been burned. They were badly shocked and Fireman Bergen was taken to a hospital in a serious condition.

The fire burned the small structure pretty well out, doing several thousand dollars damage.

DEATHS

O'BRIEN—Frank L. O'Brien, aged 42 years, died today at his home, 75 Fourth avenue. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Annie, seven children, a mother, three brothers, Daniel S. O'Brien, the well known clothing dealer; Patrick J. and Joseph A. O'Brien and three sisters, Mrs. Charles Ineson, Miss Agnes O'Brien and Miss Nellie O'Brien.

MANNING—Mrs. Mary Manning, aged 37 years, died this morning at her home, 46 Cross street. She is survived by a husband, John; four children, Catherine, John, Annie, Helen and Michael; a brother, Daniel Looney of Ireland, and a sister, Johanna Looney of this city. She was a member of the ladies' godality of St. Patrick's church and had been a member of the parish for 23 years.

LEE—James Lee, aged 83 years, three months and four days, died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. O. J. Coburn, in Dracut. Deceased is survived by a wife, three sons, John of Leominster, George of Boston and William of Stafford Springs, Conn., and three daughters, Mrs. Coburn of Dracut, Mrs. John Andrews of Stafford Springs, Conn. and Miss Hattie Lee of Dracut.

FOOT CRUSHED

MARTIN MURPHY INJURED AT LOWELL MACHINE SHOP

Martin Murphy, residing at 180 Broadway, met with a painful accident while at work at the Lowell Machine shop this morning. While moving some weights one fell on his right foot, crushing that member. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the Lowell hospital.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Gustaf R. Wikander and Miss Tilda Sandstrom were married Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. J. C. Wilson at his home, 528 Chelmsford street. The bride wore green silk voile, and was attended by Mrs. Burton H. Elms. Mr. Elms was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Wikander, after an extended wedding trip, will make their home at 109 Liberty street, this city.

WALKER—CAMPBELL

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, formerly of this city, and daughter of the late George Campbell, who lived at 182 Middlesex street, was married on Jan. 14, to Mr. Howard Walker of Denver, Colo. Mr. Walker is prominent in Denver's business and social circles. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are spending their honeymoon in New York city. They will make their home at 1113 California street, Denver, Colo.

RECEIVER NAMED

CINCINNATI, Jan. 21.—John R. Holmes was appointed last night as a receiver for the suspended stock exchange firm of Roberts, Criss and Hall. The receiver was named on application of J. Nevin Roberts, a member of the firm.

PRESIDENT OF MINE WORKERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 21.—Thomas Lewis of Ohio was elected president of the United Mine Workers of America over William Green of Ohio, his only opponent, today. Frank J. Hayes of Illinois was elected vice president. Edwin Perry was chosen secretary-treasurer without opposition.

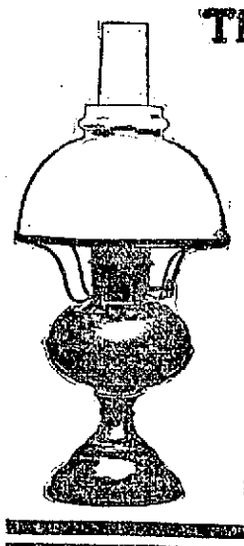
NOTICE!

Eyes examined. Glasses furnished. Prescriptions filled. Glasses repaired. Best service. Lowest prices.

Caswell Optical Co., 11 Bridge St.

The Sewing Light

The Rayo Lamp



makes the long evening brilliant with its steady white light for sewing or reading. Made of brass, nickel plated and equipped with the latest improved central draft burner.

The Rayo is a low-priced lamp, but you cannot get a better lamp at any price.

Once a Rayo user, always one

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not At Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
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Last and Deepest Cut in Prices at the Big Clean Sweep Sale

The crowds which have visited us during the two weeks of this notable sale, eager to get a share of our big bargains, fully attest the reality of the values we have offered. This, however, cannot last longer, and we POSITIVELY STATE that TODAY and TOMORROW will mark the last of our price cutting. For lack of space we just mention a few specials:

Children's Felt Trimmed Hats, that sold for $1.00 and $1.50. Clean sweep price 33c; further cut 29c

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, that sold for $8.00. Clean sweep price $2.98; further cut $1.98

Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes, that sold for $2.50. Clean sweep price $1.98; further cut $1.89

Men's Suits, that sold for $18.00. Clean sweep price $10.98; further cut $9.98

REMEMBER, that these prices are only for today and tomorrow.

OSTROFF & SOUSA CO.

The Cut Price Store, 92 Gorham Street

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

J. W. GRADY

EYESIGHT SPECIALIST

$3 00 Glasses for $1.00

Dizziness, Nervous, Sick and Chronic Headaches cured. Spectacles fitted satisfactorily when others have failed. Difficult cases a specialty. Optical parlors in Wyman's Exchange Building, Cor. Central and Merrimack Streets.

Columbia Phonograph Agency

HAS BEEN REMOVED TO

Nelson's Colonial Store

ON THE THIRD FLOOR.

They carry in stock a complete line of disc and cylinder records and machines, including their choice line of grand opera records.

They will be pleased to have all their old customers and prospective buyers call on them in their new quarters.

Nelson's Colonial Store

CENTRAL AND MERRIMACK STREETS.

BIG PRIZES WON

In the Aviation Meet Held at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 21.—As dusk gathered over the old Dominiguez ranch last night, four flying machines which had been circling in the air descended and the first international aviation meet held in America was finished.

Few knew that while Charles K. Hamilton was returning from a 15 mile flight towards the ocean the crankshaft of his machine snapped a mile from the field and he narrowly escaped death. Hamilton shut off the engine and so leveled and swayed his planes that he came down gently.

Curtiss and Paulhan furnished the excitement of the closing.

Paulhan went up at 5.20 o'clock for an endurance flight. After he had done two or three laps of the course, Curtiss started a 10 lap speed trial, half a lap, or more than three-quarters of a mile behind Paulhan. It was the first real race of the ten days' meet.

The two aeroplanes came over the grandstand with the speed of express trains. Curtiss gained swiftly on Paulhan, and on the third lap he reached Paulhan, flying above him. The Frenchman for a few seconds held even. Then Curtiss in his American machine forged ahead a length and finally half a lap.

It was no race after that. The American machine was the faster beyond question. As Curtiss rushed over Paulhan he received the greatest applause that any of his efforts had gained. Paulhan went on until he had traveled in the air nearly an hour and a half. Curtiss came down after a 50 mile trip.

The Curtiss machines won all the prizes for speed, quick starts, perfect landings and those events where a light, swift machine showed best.

Paulhan won all the cross country, passenger carrying and endurance tests having a heavier, slower machine and an engine which he trusts absolutely. Paulhan took more than $15,000 in prizes and broke the world's records for altitude and cross country flights, alone and with a passenger.

Curtiss broke no world's records and won less than $5000 in prizes.

There was an odd parade yesterday, showing the evolution of traveling. It was headed by old Ezra Meeker of Oregon Trail fame, seated in a prairie schooner drawn by oxen. After him came cowboys, burrows, carriages, automobiles, balloons, dirigibles, and finally the various aerodromes, ending with a multiplane that looked like a wheat harvester. Curtiss and Paulhan walked in the van like bashful schoolboys.

The prizes won during the aviation meet follow:

Height, first $3000, Louis Paulhan, 4165 feet; second, $2000, Charles K. Hamilton, 530.5 feet; third, $500, Glenn H. Curtiss, no official height taken.

Endurance and time, first, $3000, Paulhan, 75.77 miles, 1.58.32; second, $2000, Hamilton, 19.44 miles, 39.09 3-5; third, $500, Curtiss, 16.11 miles, 24.54 2-5.

Speed, 10 laps, first, $3000, Curtiss, 16.11 miles, 23.43 3-5; second, $2000, Paulhan, 16.11 miles, 24.59 2-5; third, Hamilton, 16.11 miles, 30.34 3-5.

Three laps with passenger, first, $1000, Paulhan, 4.33 miles, 8.16 1-5; no others contested.

Slowest lap, first, $500, Hamilton, 1.61 miles, 3.36 2-5.

Quickest start, first, $250, Curtiss, 98 feet.

Starting and landing in square, $250, Charles F. Willard, won; score perfect.

Cross country, $10,000; Paulhan won.

The following are the records for the course also made:

Speed, one lap 2.12, Curtiss.

Shortest time in rising, 6 2-5 seconds, Curtiss.

Dirigibles, one lap, 4.57 4-5, Lincoln Beachey.

LIABLE TO $200 FINE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The new Hamburg-American steamship Cleveland with 660 passengers from New York is due in this port in a few days and customs officers have asked Washington whether the landing of her passengers here is a violation of the coastwise navigation act. This law prohibits, under $200 fine each, the transportation of passengers between ports of the United States in a foreign vessel. The Cleveland is a foreign vessel and the question is whether her round-the-world cruise from New York to San Francisco brings her within the application of the law.

PEOPLE'S CLUB

The first entertainment in the annual series at the Women's branch, People's club, was given last night by Professor and Mlle. Wood. Professor Wood is an expert in all tricks of legerdemain, and Mlle. Wood renders able assistance at the piano, besides taking part in several of the most interesting exhibitions of magic. The attendance was large and appreciative. The entertainers were introduced by Hugh F. Gillon.

FOUGHT A DRAW

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Jan. 21.—Paul Koehler, Cleveland, and Joe Getz of Johnstown fought 12 rounds here last night, with honors even. The bout was clean and scientific throughout.

GIRL ARRESTED

SHE WAS ATTIRED IN MAN'S CLOTHES

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A quiet mannered girl of about 19, wearing a man's gray frock suit of good material, a man's gray felt hat, glasses and man's street clothes was arrested in the street last night. She coolly told the detective who arrested her: "My name is Marion Hamilton-Gray, and I have been wearing boys' and men's clothes for the last ten years. Since I began to pose for a man I have learned to smoke cigarets and pipe."

Miss Gray volunteered that her arrest is due to the jealousy of a wealthy woman of Newark Valley, N. Y., who wanted to marry her, she said, in the belief that she was a man.

In the night court the magistrate held that in view of the fact that the woman was not painted or masked, her case presented no violation of the penal code, and she was released on her promise to dress more conventionally in the future.

SOLDIER ESCAPED

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 21.—People living in the section of the city surrounding Fort Porter witnessed a thrilling man hunt last evening. Private Murgittroyd, recently sentenced to imprisonment at Fort Jay for deserting from the Fifth cavalry in Utah, was working under guard in the corral at the fort. At dusk he made a break for liberty. Two guards gave chase, occasionally firing at the fleeing man. The soldier made for the residence section. The guards kept up a running fire until it became dangerous to people on the street. Murgittroyd escaped.

Weak? Tired? Run-down?

These conditions come from overwork, a weak stomach, overtaxed nerves or feeble blood. When you feel "all in"—hardly able to drag about, no energy, no ambition, easily exhausted and can't sleep—take

BEECHAM'S PILLS

and note what a difference they make in your condition. The stomach is the first to feel the good effects. Food tastes good, the digestion is strengthened; bowels and bile work regularly, the blood is cleansed, and the nerves rested. The whole system responds to the tonic action of Beecham's Pills. Soon there is the buoyant feeling of returning health,

Fresh Strength and New Life

Boxes 10c. and 25c., with full directions.

WRIT OF REPLEVIN

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 21.—On information that Raymond Riordan, manager and superintendent of Jubilee college, an Episcopal school, had loaded all the furniture and other property of the school into three cars preparatory to sending it to Laporte, Ind., where he had accepted a position with the Inter-Laken college, Bishop Edward Fawcett of Quincy yesterday caused the issuance of a replevin. The writ was served by the sheriff. Riordan and the three cars of furniture were detained and an investigation will be made by Bishop Fawcett and the trustees of the school today. The bishop declared Riordan is heavily indebted to the college.

NEW DREADNOUGHTS

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 21.—The council of ministers has ratified their recommendation of the naval commission that two dreadnoughts be built by an American company. These battleships will be of 28,000 tons each, with a speed of 22 knots.

JANUARY SALE OF DRUG STORE GOODS

Several times a year, during the different seasons, we select the most seasonable goods, and to stimulate new business, we offer special inducements. Our annual January sale offers many opportunities to the discriminating, careful purchaser. Many prices quoted are in effect during this sale only, and we reserve the right to limit quantities.

OWING TO THE POOR WEATHER THE EARLY PART OF THIS WEEK, WHICH PREVENTED MANY FROM TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED IN THIS SALE, WE WILL EXTEND THE TIME TWO DAYS LONGER. PRICES WILL BE IN EFFECT NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JANUARY 24 AND 25.

LATEST ADDITION **POCKET KNIVES** See our line.

TOILET GOODS AND PREPARATIONS

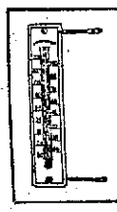
This week only—a 25c. cake of Olive Soap FREE with a 50c. jar of Riker's Violet Cerate.

Headquarters for ELASTIC HOSIERY Best material, lowest prices.

RUBBER GOODS AND SICK ROOM SUPPLIES

INVALID CHAIRS. We sell or let.

GLASS OUTDOOR THERMOMETERS



Excellent quality, figures will not wear off, special magnifying lens, making reading easy, in tin, wood or glass frames. All prices—special value in all glass window thermometer. 83¢

INSOLES—Entirely of hair, per pair, 6¢
Made of cork and hair.....13¢
Made from pressed cork, per pair...17¢

THERMOS BOTTLES—If you are not supplied, it is really time you had one. These bottles consist of one glass bottle inside another, with a vacuum between, through which neither heat nor cold can pass. Will keep contents ice cold 72 hours, or steaming hot 24 hours. Can be filled, cleaned and emptied same as any ordinary bottle.....$3.00 to $6.50

POCKET KNIVES—We have recently added a high-grade line of pocket knives. These are American made from the finest English steel. We carry, probably, the largest variety in this city. Various sizes, styles and material in handles. Prices on this line of goods are in conformity with all our other prices—the lowest possible. In taking on this line we have realized there would be strong competition and have made prices that will surely sell the goods.....25¢ to $3.50

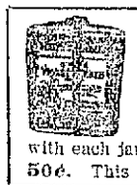
STROPPING MACHINES

We have the Fleming, Gaylor, Nichols, Griffon and Pullman, prices from $1.00 to $2.00. Can be used for any of the popular safety razor blades.

PERFUME ATOMIZERS (DE VILRISS)

These high-grade atomizers throw a fine vapor spray, made in a large variety of designs. Special during this week.....69¢

	Regular Sale Price. Price.
Bicycle Playing Cards	25c 19¢
Tally Ho Playing Cards	25c 19¢
Playing Cards, No. 52, gold edge card	40c 25¢
Congress Gold Edge Cards	50c 40¢
Pocket Flash Lights	75c 49¢
De Miracle Cold Cream	50c 33¢
Pompeian Massage Cream	50c 31¢
Complexin Cream	35c 29¢
Woodbury's Facial Cream	25c 19¢
Milkweed Cream	50c 39¢
Piver's Toilet Soap, all odors	25c 21c
Felt's Foot Soap	25c 19¢
Williams' Barber's Bar, 6 cakes for	27¢
Woodbury's Soap	25c 19¢
Colgate's Shaving Powder	25c 20¢
Frostilla	25c 17¢
Lyon's Tooth Powder	25c 15¢
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream	50c 35¢
R. & G. Violet Parme Water	85¢
Kolynos Tooth Paste	25c 19¢
Pebeco Tooth Paste	50c 39¢



FREE

A 25c cake of Riker's Olivo Pure Castile Soap with each jar of Riker's Violet Cerate, 50¢. This week only.

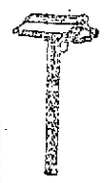
TOILET SET BOTTLES

An attractive article for the bathroom, handsomely labelled, bottles of uniform size. A great variety of different labels, such as Alcohol, Witch Hazel, Toilet Water, etc. 8-oz. size with glass stopper.....39¢

BATHROOM FIXTURES—Every piece is made of brass with an extra heavy coating of nickel plate. Will never rust. We are considered headquarters for these goods, and are sure that our prices are right, as we have repeatedly supplied various contractors who use these goods in large quantities in fitting up new houses.
Glass Shelf—5x18 inches, complete with nickel bracket and screws, value $1.50, this sale.....97¢
Soap Holders for Bath Tub. Value 75c, this sale.....49¢
Sponge Holders for Bath Tub. Value $1.25, this sale.....89¢
Tooth Brush Holders—Holding from 2 to 6 brushes.....15¢ to 47¢

We have other pieces in great variety, such as Towel Holders, Shaving Brush Holders, Shaving Soap Holders, Toilet Paper Holders, Bath Tub Seats, and various combination pieces.

SAFETY RAZORS



We carry all the well-known makes, such as Star, Gem Jr., Ever Ready, Ender, Durham Duplex, Gillette and Auto Strop,
$1.00 to $7.50
We recommend the Auto Strop. It is the only safety razor which strops itself. You are sure of a keen, sharp blade for every shave. Price, complete.....$5.00

WATER BOTTLES

Riker's Featherweight—True to its name, it is the lightest water bottle made. Particularly serviceable on account of its cloth reenforcement, guaranteed for 1 year.
2-qt. size.....$1.19
3-qt. size.....$1.29
Priscilla Water Bottle.....47¢
Jaynes' Chain Hanger Water Bottle—Good quality, guaranteed for 1 year, stopper attached with chain, cannot be lost.
2-qt. size.....89¢
3-qt. size.....94¢
R-J Maroon Water Bottles—Guaranteed 2 years.
2-qt. size.....$1.75
3-qt. size.....$2.00

ENAMELLED IRRIGATORS—Preferred by many in place of the fountain syringe—3-qt. size 85¢. Complete with highest grade, full-length rubber tubing and 2 hard rubber pipes, this sale.....$1.25
REBORN BRACES.....$1.00
TRUFORM BRACE—Especially adapted for ladies, this week.....$1.79
ACCIDENT CASES—Small-size U. S. outfit, 75c value.....47¢
HARD RUBBER NASAL DOUCHE—K. & O. shape.....23¢

FORCE CUPS

(Little Plumber)
Very easily operated. Will clear clogged-up sink and basins and save many plumber's bills. In three sizes,
25¢, 40¢ and 50¢

ENAMELLED SICK FEEDERS

Perfectly sanitary and more serviceable than the porcelain, 50c value.....29¢

ENAMELLED CUSPIDORS—Light, serviceable, sanitary. Regular office size, $1.00 value.....69¢
BATH CABINETS—For taking steam baths. The best grade of rubber coated cloth on steel frame, complete with heater.....$4.50

Capell "Hotpoint" Gas Iron

Costs only ¼ cent per hour to operate—nothing to get out of order—heats in two minutes ready to use saves labor, time and patience—takes place of three different sizes of irons. On display at any of our stores, 5.00

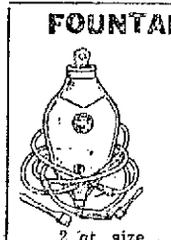
WRIST STRAPS—Made of very good quality flexible leather, lined, 25c value.....17¢

SPECIAL

This week only, 1 Daniels' 2 ft. Outdoor Thermometer, black figures on enameled board, guaranteed accurate within 1° degree variation, and 1 Daniels' Muffler. Full value of each 50c.
Both for 47c

JAYNES' No. 1 MEDICAL BATTERY
This medical apparatus is without question the best outfit of its kind manufactured at the price. It is neat in appearance, compact and reliable.
It is supplied with two nickel plated Hand Electrodes, one Sponge Electrode, one Interchangeable Electrode Handle, one Foot Plate Electrode and one pair of green and red silk covered medical battery cords..... 2.79

FOUNTAIN SYRINGE



Riker's Featherweight. An excellent serviceable syringe, re-enforced by cloth insertion. Guaranteed for 1 year. The price of this syringe has not been affected by the recent advance in rubber.
2 qt. size.....$1.49
3 qt. size.....$1.69
Edgewood Fountain Syringe.
2 qt. size.....47¢
3 qt. size.....59¢
Reputation Fountain Syringe. Extra quality, full length special rapid flow tubing, with large outlet, which insures a powerful spray. Complete, with hard rubber pipes, guaranteed for 1 year.
2 qt. size.....$1.89
3 qt. size.....$2.15

ENAMELLED COVERS FOR MEDICINE GLASSES—With 2 dials to indicate when next dose of medicine is to be taken..9¢
GLASS NASAL DOUCHE, 25c value..13¢
GAUZE BANDAGES—10 yards long, 1 inch to 3 inches in width, 5¢ to 10¢ each; 75¢ per pound.
STERILIZING THERMOMETERS—With special scale from 10 to 320 deg. F..39¢

ANKLE SUPPORTS

Excellent protection for skaters. Every one should have a pair. Jaynes' Goatskin, per pair.....97¢
Corliss Support, with steel braces, per pair.....93¢

CANDY

SPECIAL THIS WEEK

Chocolate Honey Ice Cream Drops

29c lb.

Something entirely new. Delicious and wholesome confection. Made with pure honey.

We Are Exclusive Agents for the Famous

Guth Chocolates

PATENT MEDICINES

Prices Cut 33 1-3 to 40 Per Cent

	Regular Price.	Sale Price
California Syrup of Figs	50c	33c
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	$1.00	59c
Minard's Liniment	25c	17c
Nerves	$1.00	69c
Parr's Gray Hair Restorer	1.00	79c
Hubbard's Germicide	$1.00	85c
Sal Hepatica	25c	17c
Sal Hepatica	60c	37c
Sal Hepatica	$1.20	76c
Scott's Emulsion	$1.00	67c
Father John's Medicine	$1.00	64c
Orangeine	50c	33c
Zymole Trokeys	25c	19c
Williams' Pink Pills	50c	36c
Lorrimer's Hair Tonic	$1.00	79c
Bromo Seltzer	25c	15c
Danderine	$1.00	75c
Newbro's Herpicide	50c	39c
Beecham's Pills	25c	17c
Birt's Head Wash	50c	33c
Allcock's Porous Plasters	25c	12c
Lung Kuro	50c	36c
Swamproot	50c	33c
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	$1.00	71c
Poskum	50c	43c
Diamond Dyes	10c	8c
Doan's Pills	50c	31c
Eskay's Food	75c	59c
Malted Milk	$1.00	65c
Omega Oil	50c	33c

MERCHANTS CASH VALUE TRADE STAMP

LEGAL TRADING STAMPS

We will give double trading stamps forenoons up to 12 o'clock and single stamps the remainder of the day. Please shop early. Ask for them.

DRUGS

Analyzed in Our Own Laboratory and Guaranteed Highest Purity

	Regular Price.	Sale Price
Cod Liver Oil (best Norwegian) pint bottle	50c	38c
Rock Candy, pound package	25c	13c
Powdered Borax, pound	20c	12c
Aspirin Tablets, bottle of 100	$1.00	78c
Aspirin, 1 oz. bottle	75c	50c
Castor Oil, pint bottle	50c	30c
Black Stick Licorice, 8 sticks 1 lb.	50c	25c
Licorice Powder, lb.	50c	29c
Witch Hazel, pint bottle	35c	23c
Flaxseed, pound	15c	8c
Glycerine, pound bottle	50c	33c
Elm Bark, select, 1-4 pound	25c	15c
Wild Cherry Bark, pound	40c	25c
Powdered Orris Root, lb.	50c	23c
Compound Syrup of White Pine, 4 oz. bottle	35c	23c
Tincture Rhubarb, 4 oz. bot.	35c	23c
Tincture Benzoin, 4 oz. bot.	40c	25c
Fluid Extract Cascara, 4 oz. bottle	50c	38c
Glycerine and Rose Water, 4 oz. bottle	25c	18c
French White Gelatine, lb	75c	45c
Camphor Gum, pound	75c	55c
Chalk and Orris Root, 1-4 lb. pkg.	25c	10c
Cocoa Butter, 1-2 lb. cake	50c	37c
Cold Cream, 1-4 lb. glass jar	35c	25c
Collodion, 1 oz. bottle, with brush	25c	15c
Sweet Spirits Nitre 4 oz. bot	35c	23c
Oil of Sweet Almonds, 4 oz. bottle	40c	25c
Zinc Ointment, 4 oz. jar	40c	25c

CIGARS

Popular 10 Cent Brands

Including Quincy, 7-20-4, C. C. A., M. C. A., Harvard, Barrister, Marguerite, Northern Light, Bostonia, Poet, Blackstone and Trimount

6 Cents

Popular 10c Cut Plug Tobaccos 3 for 25c

All 10c Cigarettes.....8c
All 15c Cigarettes.....10c
All 25c Cigarettes.....18c

New Process **Hot Chocolate**

Made from finest Swiss cocoa. Served always hot enough, with plenty of Rich Whipped Jersey Cream. A treat on a cold day.

5c Cup

121-123 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

WE ALWAYS HAVE SOLD—WE ARE NOW SELLING AND WE ALWAYS SHALL SELL THE HIGHEST QUALITY OF DRUG STORE GOODS AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORE

You Are Safe When You Buy at Riker-Jaynes

10% OFF IN OUR **Truss and Elastic Hosiery Departments**

Cut out this coupon and present to the attendant and you will get 10% off from our regular low prices. This week only.

REMEMBER

We carry the largest variety, employ expert attendants, trained nurses for women and children. You get the advice and attention of specialists without paying specialists' prices. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed at reasonable prices.

AMES' FRIENDS

Say That He Will Oppose Lodge

A despatch from Washington reads: One has got to come to Washington to hear that Butler Ames is really in the senatorial fight against Senator Lodge. In Massachusetts one seldom runs across any evidence of Ames' campaign, but down here Ames and his friends don't hesitate to say that the Ames-Lodge fight is on in earnest. Senator Lodge only laughs when his friends call his attention to the Ames talk. If he scents serious trouble with the young scion of the Butler family, renowned for its political fighters, the senior senator does not betray it in his daily contact with visiting statesmen from home.

"Tell you a good story I heard about that," said one of Senator Lodge's friends the other day. "There is an artist here in Washington, a Milesian gentleman, who naturally has a fine sense of humor. To be perfectly frank with you, he is a better humorist than an artist. He met Congressman Ames at a pink tea given by the high social set of this city, and the latter told the artist he was from Massachusetts.

"I'm fighting Senator Lodge for the senate," said the young Lowell congressman. The artist knows Senator Lodge very well.

"Are you?" the artist said. "I wonder if Senator Lodge knows it."

Senator Lodge, by the way, is looking and feeling much better than he did last summer and fall. If his health holds out it is his purpose to take the stump for the state ticket next fall, and those in his confidence say that he purposes to keep Mr. Foss quite busy answering questions if the latter should again be a candidate for lieutenant-governor on the democratic ticket.

BUYING COTTON FUTURES

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 21.—Savannah brokers received reports yesterday that southern mills were buying heavily of cotton future contracts in New York and would demand deliveries. A considerable amount was said to be for January delivery. By this means the mills are enabled to take advantage of the lower prices of futures, spot cotton in the southern markets having failed to decline to anything like a corresponding degree.

JACK JOHNSON

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF FELONIOUS ASSAULT

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Jack" Johnson, the champion heavyweight pugilist was arrested in New York last night, charged with felonious assault. Felony cases are not taken to the night court and his release could only be brought about by getting a police magistrate out of bed to accept bail. George Little, the negro's manager, scurried away from the police.

VOTE DESKS TO THEMSELVES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The members of the retiring common council of Boston voted last night to bestow upon themselves the desks and chairs which each had used during their term of service in the council. An attempt to add to the order that ink and ink wells and a portion of the carpet and floor underneath be added was lost.

The order also included the provision that if any had scruples about taking away the furniture they might pay the city a small compensation for the same.

One member objected to the order on the ground that the members of the council had been branded as grafters and capable of taking anything in sight and if the order was passed they would also be accused of taking what was nailed down.

As the desks are made in sections of seven each the city is expected to furnish someone to saw them apart.

R&G CORSETS

A model for every figure.

AT THE ARMORY

Inspection of Company M Was Held

The annual United States government inspection of Company M, Ninth Infantry, M. V. M., was held last night at the state armory in Westford street, Capt. Robert H. Allen of the 29th U. S. Infantry being the inspecting officer. Assisting in the inspection was Major John J. Dunn, junior major of the Ninth regiment and formerly commander of Company D of Charlestown.

The resignation of Lieut. Thomas J. O'Donnell has been tendered to Capt. Philip McNulty, Lieut. O'Donnell finding that he has not the time to devote to military affairs that are necessary in connection with his office. Clerk P. Hildreth Parker will also sever his connection with the company on March 9th.

Company G, Sixth regiment, was awarded the medals and bars for shooting, at a meeting held last night, Capt. S. W. Wise of Boston, I. S. A. P., doing the honors. Eight expert marksmanship medals were awarded as follows: Capt. Walter R. Joyes, Second Lieut. F. A. Mottram, Sergeants C. J. Barnes, Wm. S. Miner and R. G. Carlson, Corp. R. J. Keeler and Privates George D. Crowell and William McGookin. All the other members of the company have qualified previously in some one of the classes. The new medals are in the shape of a St. Andrew's cross.

As guests of the company during the evening were Capt. Colby T. Kittredge of the paymaster's department, and Capt. Lewis G. Hunton of the commissary department of the Sixth regiment. Refreshments were served during the evening. The committee having the affair in charge was: Lieut. Thomas W. Doyle, Lieut. F. A. Mottram, Corp. F. C. Hanahan, Artificer J. D. Hudson and Private J. Roddy.

REV. FR. NOLAN

ADDRESSED JUNIOR BRANCH OF HOLY NAME SOCIETY

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the junior branch of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church was held last night in the school hall. The feature of the meeting was the election of officers which resulted as follows:

William J. O'Connell, president; Luke McCann, vice president; Bernard Kane, secretary; Rev. George I. Nolan, O. M. I., spiritual director and treasurer.

After the election of officers the members were addressed by Rev. Fr. Nolan, whose kind words of encouragement were warmly appreciated by the members of the society. The newly elected president thanked the members for the honor which they had bestowed upon him and hoped with their assistance to double the membership in a short time. After the business meeting a social session was held, which was greatly enjoyed.

THE TRAINMEN

WERE NOT ALLOWED INCREASE IN WAGES

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 21.—Although every railroad east of the Mississippi and north of the Chesapeake and Ohio system has declined the proposal of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen for an adjustment of the wage scale, there is no intention on the part of the brotherhood to resort to a strike at present.

Seventy-two of the railroads affected have requested that committees of the trainmen meet them in negotiations. Several have submitted counter-propositions. Beginning today, the trainmen's committee on each of the lines involved, will confer with the officials of the railroads, with a view toward an amicable settlement.

"The refusal of the railroads to accept our terms does not mean that relations between the brotherhood and the railroads are strained," said W. G. Lee, president of the brotherhood, yesterday. "It simply means that our proposition as framed is refused. No committee of our organization representing the men on a single railroad will be permitted to make any concessions. If such a committee wants to make a move of the sort the members must take up the matter with the members at large. I am not discouraged."

WANTS MONEY

TO CONDUCT INQUIRY INTO WHITE SLAVERY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., wants the city of New York to make a special appropriation to stamp out white slavery. As foreman of a special grand jury, appointed recently to investigate this traffic in women, of which New York is said to be the headquarters, he called on both Mayor Gaynor and Comptroller Prendergast for this purpose yesterday.

Results have already been achieved by the Rockefeller grand jury; several arrests have been made, indictments have been returned and a mass of evidence collected. But the son of the richest man in the world is anxious to have the investigation go further, to employ experts and to go as deep if not deeper than the recent congressional inquiry.

NEGROES PROTEST

SAY THAT THEY ARE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST

HAVANA, Jan. 21.—Practically all the negro members of congress, followed by a large crowd of colored politicians, visited President Gomez at the palace last evening and presented a petition demanding that the president take cognizance of the continued discrimination against negroes requesting lodging and entertainment.

The delegation informed the president that this was the first step on the part of the negro element of the whole island in a vigorous campaign.

The president told the delegation that he would do all within his constitutional power to remove the cause of irritation and secure to all citizens, irrespective of color, the full enjoyment of equal rights.

THE CHANLER CASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Here is the spectacle of a rich young man attempting to attain the presidency of the United States by getting himself advertised like a quack medicine, and making a fiasco, leaving behind a train of dishonored obligations and compromised claims," said Clarence J. Shearn, in summing up yesterday for the plaintiff, William J. Clarke, in his suit against former Lieutenant Governor Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, to recover $20,000 for alleged publicity services in 1907.

Last But By No Means Least

Our January Sale of Muslin Underwear Started This Morning at 10 O'Clock

We have delayed our sale so that manufacturers could send us their small lots, which were left after they had filled orders for stores that wished to have their sales early. These lots we have secured at great concessions in price, and we will offer today some of the most remarkable bargains you have ever seen. As usual we have provided liberal quantities, but we advise an early selection.

Corset Covers of good nainsook, deep yokes of lace, some with two rows of ribbon. January sale price..... 15c

Corset Covers of good nainsook, lace or embroidery trimmed, yokes run with ribbon. January sale price.... 25c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Corset Covers, novelty edges and insertions. January sale price..... 47c

Petticoats of good cambric, flounce of embroidery, and finished with dust ruffle. You never saw them before for 29c

Petticoats of good cambric, two styles, with flounce of pretty embroidery. January sale price 59c

Five styles of lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, styles you can buy anywhere for 98c. January sale price 69c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, some with ribbon and heading at top of the flounce. January sale price 97c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, discontinued styles that sold for $1.97. January sale price $1.50

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle, finished with hemstitched edge and tucks, a copy of a 25c style. January sale price.... 15c

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle of dainty embroidery. We know they are worth 50c, because we sold them for 50c. January sale price..... 29c

Gowns of good nainsook, round neck trimmed with lace or embroidery, run with ribbon, good 98c values. January sale price..... 59c

Gowns of Masonvill muslin, two styles, that ought not to be sold for less than 98c, considering the quality and present price of cloth. January sale price..... 69c

Gowns of Masonvill muslin, yoke of tucks and embroidery, and some of our regular $1.50 styles. January sale price 97c

Combinations of good cambric or cross lawn, trimmed with ribbon and lace, some of our 97c styles. January sale price..... 75c

$1.50 and $1.97 combinations reduced for this sale to 97c

For this sale we have reduced the prices of all our muslin underwear of the better grades.

The White Store

116 MERRIMACK STREET.

Ladies' Storm Rubbers 50c value for 33c

J·L·CHALIFOUX

49 to 59 CENTRAL ST.

Men's Shawknit Hose SECONDS 10c

Your Minutes Are Worth Money Now

The "Move On!" Clearance Event Ends

All good things must end, and this "Move On!" sale, rich in opportunity for those wise shoppers who take advantage of the decisive price reductions, must draw to a close tomorrow night.

Tomorrow will be the busiest day, of course, and so we hope you'll come in the morning, when shopping will be easier, and when you will have more time for selection.

Below we print a little list, telling of some of the chances to save money here before the "Move On!" sale ends tomorrow night.

WAIST DEPT.

French Flannel Waists, with side pleats and button front and a few nun's veiling waists, were $1.98, to close..... 98c

Net Waists, in ecru and white, prettily trimmed with lace and medallions, were $1.98, to close $1.39

Odd lot of White Tailored Waists, with embroidered fronts and laundered collars and cuffs; also a few blues, were 98c, to close 69c

An Odd Lot of Ladies' Mannish Sweaters, with pockets, gray and white only, were $1.98, to close $1.39

LADIES' CLOAK AND SUIT DEPT.

Odd Lot Fur Collared Coats, made to sell at $10, to close....$3.19

Odd Lot of Misses' School Coats, fancy mixtures, sizes 14 to 18, $8 value, to close.....$2.89

A Few of Our Black Kersey Coats in short or long lengths, to close $2.89

What's left of our $2 and $2.50 Skirts to close.....$1.69

All the Odds and Ends of Our $10 and $15 Raincoats, styles and fabrics to suit 'most any taste, to close $4.89

SUITS FOR STOUT LADIES

Being over-stocked with out-size garments, sizes 39 to 47, we are putting a price that will move them; sold up to $30, to close $12.89

The remainder of our Suits which sold up to $27, mostly small sizes left, to close.....$7.89

Bargainland

Leather Hand Bags, single or double straps, moire lined with inside purses and pocket, 69c value 39c

Long or Medium Waist Corsets, with 2 or 4 hose supporters attached, good quality batiste, 50c value 39c

Ladies' All Wool Hose in black and oxford and light gray, 25c value 19c

Boys' Heavy Rib Wool Hose, 25c value 19c

Men's Black Cotton Hose, 8c value 3c

Men's Working Shirts, plain blue chambray and colored striped cheviots, 50c value.....33c

Boys' Strong Sleds, 50c value, 25c

Dressing Combs, in black only, 10c

Jumbo Fine Tooth Combs.....8c

Hair Brushes, 20c value.....8c

Peet's Invisible Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, all sizes, package 8c

Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, a card 2c

Wire Hair Pins, a box.....2c

Basting Cotton, 500 yards, a spool 4c

All Sizes Needles, a paper.....1c

Hat Elastic, a yard.....1c

Hose Supporters, 10c value....4c

Shoe Laces, a dozen.....5c

Black or Colored Sewing Silk, a spool 5c

Pins, 400 counted, a paper....2c

"MOVE ON" PRICES

Ladies' House Dresses and Kimonas

Ladies' One-Piece House Dresses in black and white check percale, 95c

Ladies' Two-Piece House Dresses in black and white figure, worth $1 and $1.50, to close at....59c

Long Kimonas, in flannelette, extra heavy, fancy stripes, trimmed with satin to match, worth $3 ..... $1.89

Short Kimonas, in heavy flannelette, all the newest shades, some shirred or empire back and ribbon ties, worth $1.50.....95c

Short Kimonas and Dressing Sacques in navy, gray or garnet, percale or flannelette, worth 50c, 29c

BARGAINLAND

"MOVE ON" PRICES

Ladies' Skirts and Robes

Ladies' Short Flannelette Skirts, in stripe only, with or without flounce, worth 25c.....17c

Short Skirts with embroidered or hemmed ruffle, extra full, fancy pink or blue stripes, worth 50c. 39c

Gingham Skirts with single or double flounce, extra fine quality, worth 50c 39c

Black Petticoats, extra full with ruffle, worth 50c.....39c

Children's Flannelette Skirts in pink, blue or white with cambric waist and buttons, 2 to 6 years, worth 25c 15c

Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes in stripes only, trimmed with pink or blue, worth 75c.....59c

Flannelette Night Robes in plain or fancy colors, embroidered or trimmed, colors to match, worth $1.50 ..... 89c

Children's Night Robes in pink or blue stripe, trimmed in plain colors to match, worth 50c.... 39c

BARGAINLAND

SHOE DEPT.

Babies' Red Quilted Satin Boots—fur trimmed—sizes 0, 1, 2 and 3, 50c value 25c

Child's Corduroy, Leather and Black Velvet Leggins, $1.25 value 69c

Misses' 2-Buckle Storm Boots, in Russian calf and box calf, $1.98 value $1.49

Child's and Misses' Black Storm Boots, $1.75 value.....$1.19

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Juliettes, small sizes only, $1 and $1.25 values 69c

Ladies' Storm Boots in button and lace, Russia calf, box calf and gun metal, $3 and $3.50 values, $2.48

Ladies' Gun Metal and Patent Colt Button and Lace Boots, mostly narrow width, $3 and $3.50 values $2.48

Furnishing Goods Dept. Specials

All our Fine Silk and Satin 25c Four-in-Hand Scarfs for....17c

A Fine Lot of Men's 50c Neglige Shirts for 33c

Men's and Boys' Oxford Gray Sweaters, 50c value, for....33c

Men's Black Jersey Coats, $1 value, for 50c

LAST AND BEST DAY OF OUR

MOVE ON SALE OF HATS AND CAPS

LAST—Because the many hundreds who will be here tomorrow will sweep the tables clean. BEST—Because to keep the sale going one day longer we have reinforced the broken assortments with a number of complete lines.

Your Choice of any Hats marked $3.00 for..... $2.00
Your Choice of any Hats marked $2.00 for..... $1.69
Your Choice of any Hats marked $1.50 for..... $1.19
Manufacturer's Samples of Soft or Stiff Hats, value from $1.25 to $2.00..... 69c
All our Fur Inside Band 49c Golf Caps for..... 29c
All our Fur Inside Band 39c Golf Caps for..... 19c
Children's Angora Wool Yarn Tam o' Shanters, 50c value for..... 19c
Children's Worsted Skating Caps, 50c value for 33c

Extraordinary Reductions----Men's Suits and Overcoats

$18.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$12.95
$15.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$10.00
$12.00 Overcoats reduced to..... $7.50

$18.00 Suits reduced to.....$12.95
$10.00 Suits reduced to..... $7.50

Boys' Overcoats at Less Than Cost Sizes—10 and 16 Years

Boys' $5.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$2.50 | Boys' $6.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$3.00

CASE OF HOOKWORM

Said to Have Been Discovered in Springfield

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 21.—What is believed by physicians to be the first case of hookworm or "lazy disease" discovered in New England, has developed in Miss Louisa Johnson, aged 40, a Swedish domestic, who resides with her sister at the corner of Hancock and Quincy streets, this city.

The case has been under treatment for the past two weeks at Mercy hospital and members of the medical staff, who have been greatly interested in the case, decided to keep it a profound secret until they were positive that the hookworm was the true cause of the woman's suffering.

Dr. Edgar C. Collins, who has the patient in charge, says that specimens of the eggs and worms have been sent to Harvard university for examination, but the physicians here, he states have not the slightest doubt regarding the nature of the disease.

About two weeks ago some matured specimens of the worms, which Dr. Collins believed were the cause of her illness, were secured, and when powerful narcotics were administered the patient began to show marked improvement.

In the opinion of the physicians the woman is now on the road to recovery, although the effects of the malady will not wear away for a long time.

When Dr. Collins was first called to see the patient she was in an emaciated state and her general condition led him to order her removal to the hospital, although at that time there were no suspicions of hookworm. Gradually the symptoms began to be noted until all the physicians of the staff who examined her became satisfied that she was positively afflicted with "lazy disease," exactly the same malady which John D. Rockefeller will spend a fortune to eradicate.

Just how and where Miss Johnson contracted the disease is a mystery to the medical staff of the hospital. A peculiar feature of the case is the fact that the woman has never lived in the latitude where the hookworm flourishes. In fact doubt has been expressed as to whether the hookworm is ever found in the northern states, although some authorities on the subject who have investigated the matter recently say that there may be sporadic cases in the north, although the conditions of soil and climate are not favorable.

Dr. W. T. Frawley, the hospital house physician, who is giving the case special attention, says that after boring through the skin the hookworm enters the circulatory system and after passing through the heart goes to the digestive organism, finally locating in the intestines.

The red corpuscles in the blood are destroyed by the worm, leaving only the white, and the patient soon gets into an anaemic condition. The remedy when the worm imbeds itself in the intestines is to put it to sleep by powerful drugs and then relieve the system of it when it is in a dormant state.

The victim of this malady has lived in Springfield for many years, and during her residence here has worked as a domestic for a number of different families. She has no other relatives in this city aside from the sister with whom she lives. A report from Harvard university is daily awaited confirming the diagnosis of the physicians in this city.

COL. ROOSEVELT AND KERMIT SEATED ON A BUFFALO

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NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The sojourn of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt in Africa is drawing to a close, and he is making the best of the limited time in the jungle left to him. The picture, taken from the latest photograph to reach America, for use in Scribner's Magazine for February, shows the mighty hunter and his son Kermit seated on the back of one of their victims, a fine big specimen of the African buffalo, one of the fiercest of the earth's animals. The ex-president and his party will leave the wilds soon. He will arrive at Khartum, the capital of the Egyptian Sudan, on March 15 and will be joined there by Mrs. Roosevelt, who will sail for Naples from New York on Feb. 15.

Failed to Move Stock

Being in need of the space now taken up by all winter goods that have failed to move the past season, we inform those in need of Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes or Rubbers that we have them priced so that you should be interested by all means.

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Men's Heavy Coat Sweaters, all sizes	35c
Boys' Heavy Knee Trousers, sizes to 14	15c
Boys' Overcoats, odd sizes	98c
Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 14	89c
Men's Trousers, all sizes	99c
Men's Suits	$4.95, $6.95, $8.95
Men's Overcoats	$4.95, $6.95, $8.95
Men's and Ladies' Shoes	$1.49, $1.69, $1.99
Boys' Shoes, sizes 8 to 13	98c
Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Rubbers	39c, 49c, 59c, 69c
Silk Four-in-Hand Neckwear	9c

We have dozens of other big values all over the store. All our better goods are reduced 1-4 and 1-3 from regular prices, especially Heavy Suits and Overcoats. At your convenience we would be glad to show you the great values we offer. Can we?

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TRIPLE MURDER

Revealed by Discovery of Bodies in a Flat

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A triple murder was revealed in an obscure flat in the heart of New York's East Side at dusk yesterday. Two women and a man were the victims and the manner of death was horrible.

Gagged with silk handkerchiefs and with their heads crushed with a hammer or an ax, they were left bleeding on the floor with a whimpering bull terrier as companion. If robbery was not the motive it is another Black Hand case.

Salvatore Scalpone, a well-to-do young Italian barber, his wife and a middle-aged woman, believed to have been Mrs. Scalpone's mother, were the unfortunates. His failure to appear at his shop yesterday started an investigation which resulted in the discovery of the crime.

Policemen, summoned by the janitor of the tenement, which is at 10 and 12 Montgomery street, entered the locked flat by way of a fire escape.

In the kitchen Scalpone's body was found tied to the door. Near his master stood the bulldog, cowering and blood spattered.

The animal had walked from body to body, staining the floors crimson with his foot prints.

In the next room were the corpses of the women, gagged as was the man, the handkerchiefs being similarly knotted and the heads battered.

Inspection revealed dire confusion; drawers were dumped, cupboards ransacked, mattresses ripped and every conceivable hiding place pried open.

In a little hallway, concealed, under a potato sack, was a basin half filled with bloody water, a bloodstained vest and a pair of overalls, also blood-spattered.

Whoever took the three lives worked quietly. Next-door neighbors are confused in their statements. Mrs. Rebecca Rosenblum, whose flat is separated from the Scalpones by the sheerest partition, says she heard nothing unusual late last night. Scalpone worked as usual in his shop until 10 o'clock.

The police are convinced that more than one person took part in the murder.

LARGE INCREASE

In the Gold and Silver Yield

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The production of both gold and silver by the mines of the United States increased during the calendar year 1909, according to the preliminary estimates made by A. Piatt Andrew, the director of the mint.

These show the gold product to have been $99,232,200, as against $94,560,000 for 1908; silver 53,849,000 fine ounces, an increase over the previous year of 1,408,200 fine ounces.

At the average price of silver, .52016 cents a fine ounce for the year, the commercial value for 1909 would amount to $28,010,100.

Nevada shows an apparent increase in her gold product of $3,219,000, California $1,911,600 and Alaska of $1,088,800. Colorado shows a decrease of $916,300 and South Dakota one of $892,300.

The decrease in the last named state is attributable to the closing down of the works of the Homestake mine on account of labor troubles. Montana shows an increase in her silver production of 1,613,800 fine ounces, Utah one of 1,082,100 fine ounces, and Arizona one of 732,200 fine ounces.

The estimates made by the director are based on deposits of gold and silver at the mints and assay offices of the United States and reports from private refiners and smelters.

THE DETECTIVES

Are Trying to Locate Lorenz' Fiancee

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 21.—The detective department of the police continued their investigation today to discover if Ernest Lorenz of New York, Philadelphia and New Bedford, confessed assailant of women and alleged murderer and highway robber has any connection with the strangling of Miss Laura Regester near her Cranston home last May. Inspectors Huran and Monahan were making especial efforts to locate Lorenz, whose identity he refused to divulge.

LAMP EXPLODED

RUTLAND, VT., WOMAN WAS BADLY BURNED

RUTLAND, Vt., Jan. 21.—Mrs. Katherine Gallo of 32 Meadow street was burned by the explosion of a lamp from which she was pouring kerosene into a stove yesterday afternoon. It set fire to her clothing.

In her excitement she jumped from a second story window to the ground. F. W. Rice, who happened to be near, wrapped her in a blanket, extinguishing the flames.

She was badly burned about the arms and body, but will recover. Outside of a cut on the forehead and bruises she was not injured by her jump.

The flames in her kitchen were extinguished before much damage was done.

ASKS INJUNCTION

Petition Is Filed by Mrs. Guggenheim

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Counsel for Aimee Steinberger Guggenheim, wife of William Guggenheim, the copper magnate, applied to the supreme court here yesterday for a permanent injunction restraining Grace B. Wahl, also known as Grace R. Guggenheim, who obtained a divorce from Guggenheim in Chicago in 1901, from continuing proceedings in Chicago to review the decree in order to get the divorce set aside. Decision was reserved.

Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the present Mrs. Guggenheim, characterized the Wahl proceedings as "blackmail pure and simple" and as "a proceeding to destroy the legal marriage of the present Mrs. Guggenheim and to declare the child of that marriage illegitimate."

Justice Gerard, before whom the application was made, intimated that if he found he had jurisdiction to grant the injunction he would do so.

Max Steuer, who appeared to oppose the injunction, argued that the New York court had no jurisdiction. He contended that the Chicago divorce of the Guggenheims was obtained by collusion, in that Guggenheim's lawyers, he alleged, persuaded the first Mrs. Guggenheim to go to Chicago, while, in fact, she was a resident of New York. A previous effort was made, he said, to get her to go to North Dakota to obtain a fraudulent divorce.

BODY OF A BABY

Found in the Woods at Haverhill

HAVERHILL, Jan. 21.—The body of an infant, wrapped in a blanket and paper, was found yesterday afternoon at the Pines grove by Frank Cook of this city. Cook went to the Pines in search of a job chopping down trees and in walking about the place he discovered a bundle. Examining it he found the arm of a babe protruding from the paper wrapper.

Daniel J. Murphy, chief of police, was notified and began an investigation. Medical Examiner Root of Georgetown, who viewed the body, declared death was caused by criminal neglect.

The babe had evidently strangled to death, and the police theory is that the mother, who had received no medical aid, visited te Pines to dispose of the body.

Falling Hair

You Run No Risk When You Use This Remedy

While many people in their prime doubt the assertion that "the hairs of our head are numbered," yet there is today many a man and woman fast reaching the point where this statement is literally brought home to them. If you suffer from irritation of the scalp, and from dandruff, or if your hair is falling out, do not wait until you reach the point where you can actually count how many hairs are left on your head.

Most cases of baldness are caused because the roots lack proper nutrition. In such cases there is a microbe which bores through the scalp along the line of the hair into the root and when it lodges there it begins to destroy the fatty matter around the hair roots. When the scalp and hair roots are strong and healthy, it is impossible for these microbes to get in their deadly work.

We can promise you that, if your hair is falling out, and you have not let it go too far, you can repair the damage already done by using "Rexall 93" Hair Tonic. It is a scientific cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal preparation, that destroys microbes, stimulates good circulation around the hair roots, promotes hair nourishment, removes dandruff and restores hair health. It is as pleasant to use as pure water, and it is delicately perfumed. It is a real toilet necessity.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic with our promise that it will cost you nothing unless you are perfectly satisfied with its use. It comes in two sizes, Prices 50 cents and $1.00. Remember you can obtain it only at our store,—the Rexall Store, Hall & Lyon Co.

CHIEF HOSMER

Is Engaged on His Annual Report

Chief E. S. Hosmer is busily engaged in preparing his annual report to the city council. Recently the number of alarms for the year 1909 as well as the property loss by fire during the first 11 months of the year were given in The Sun, but at that time the losses for the month of December had not been reported.

The losses, valuation, insurance and amount of insurance paid on losses are now available and despite the fact that there were more fires in 1909 than in the previous year the loss by fire last year was only about one-half what it was in 1908.

In 1909 the loss on buildings and contents by fires which were attended by the department, and reported fires, which the department did not attend, the loss was $186,446.91, while in the preceding year the loss was $366,596.85. The amount of insurance paid last year was $174,227.19 as against $345,175.05 in 1908, while the amount of insurance paid on reported fires was $4,278.17 last year and $2,614.92 this year.

The following shows the loss on building and contents, insurance on the same, amount of insurance paid, loss above insurance and valuation of the property for the year 1909.

	Buildings	Contents	Total
Loss	$ 88,265.44	$ 94,666.55	$ 182,931.99
Insurance	3,028,923.70	395,094.00	3,424,017.70
Insurance paid	$6,006.20	$7,317.99	174,227.19
Loss above insurance	1,356.24	7,348.56	8,704.80
Valuation	3,917,416.00	589,219.49	4,506,635.49

Reportde Fires

(Fires reported at the insurance offices.)

Number of fires—127.

Damage to building, $2251.17.

Insurance on buildings, $598,651.90.
Insurance paid on buildings, $2251.17.
Valuation of buildings, $909,800.
Damage to contents, $1263.75.
Insurance paid on contents, $1263.75.
Value of contents, $112,600.

DIVORCE CASE

Judge King Wants to Hear Husband

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—In connection with the libel of Mrs. Augusta T. Clapp for a divorce from her husband, Chas. T. E. Clapp, brought on the ground of alleged cruel and abusive treatment and nonsupport, Judge King made a statement in the Suffolk county divorce court yesterday. The case was uncontested, and the court desiring information had Mr. Clapp brought into court and heard his story.

"I am absolutely satisfied," said Judge King, "that there are sometimes two sides to these uncontested cases. That is why I called in the husbands of two women seeking divorce, in order to hear their stories."

Mr. Clapp, who is 68 years old, a tree warden at Winthrop and a Civil war veteran, denied all the acts of cruelty alleged by his wife. "I never struck my wife," he declared, "in all our 38 years of married life."

"Can you explain why your son and daughter side with their mother?" asked Judge King.

"It was my daughter who assaulted me most of all," he answered. "She struck me. I never applied vile epithets to my daughter."

He said that he had caused to be dropped in the superior criminal court proceedings which he had brought in an assault case, because of promises made that their conduct would be amended.

"We got along after that nicely for two months. Then they began to use me badly again. I had turned all the money I earned into the house." The court took the matter under advisement.

SAM WALTER FOSS CLUB

The Sam Walter Foss Literary club met Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Rushworth, 58 South Loring St., with Mrs. Rushworth and Mrs. W. H. Upham as hostesses. President, Mrs. A. F. French, presided.

The literary subject for the afternoon was "Julia Ward Howe." Mrs. Upham, who had charge of the program, read an interesting paper on the "Birth, Childhood and Parentage of Mrs. Howe." Other excellent papers on the subject were read by Mrs. Fred Balcom, Mrs. Ellen Wheeler, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Fred Bascom and Mrs. Ella Blake. A piano solo by Miss Bernice Rushworth and vocal solos by Mrs. Annie Russell, accompanied by Miss Mildred Brennon with the violin completed the program.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Miss Bernice Rushworth, Miss Edith Cheney, Miss Mildred Brennon, Mrs. C. F. Hoelzel, Miss Blanche McDonald and Master Marshall Rushworth.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Charles Doty, 81 Bellevue street February 2, 1910.

7-20-4 — J. G. SULLIVANS — 10c Cigar

Increased sales in past year 4,043,677. Money's worth to the smoker tells the story. T. G. SULLIVAN, Sole Proprietor, Manchester, N. H.

PRICE OF BUTTER

Is Due for a Drop Soon

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Local commission men predict that the price of butter soon will fall to 40 cents a pound.

The fact that butter of the first quality is coming into the local market in excess of the present demand is given as the reason for anticipating a lower price. The amount of butter in storage is said to be normal for this season of the year.

By the launching of meat strikes, the formation of "anti-meat clubs" and the enlistment of labor unions and organizations of householders in the cause, Chicago yesterday enlisted in the army waging war on the high cost of living.

The most conspicuous evidence of the leaven being at work in Chicago was the appearance in stationery stores and picture card shops of small tags, made of paper similar to that used for express tags and provided with red strings, that they might be tied to a coat button. "No meat for mine until March 1" read the tags. They were in great demand at 2c per tag.

Several women's clubs have already started a meat boycott and the federation of labor promises to take up the question of increased cost of living at its next meeting.

Marion Talbot, dean of women at the university of Chicago, said:

"I hope the university may develop a plan whereby our women may be given instructions in buying as well as in cooking food, where they may be trained to hunt through the advertising columns of the daily papers for bargains in fruits, vegetables and foodstuffs as they now scan the pages for bargains in dry goods.

"The present agitation over the high cost of living must be brought home to the housewife in the light of a problem, of be studied and met rather than as only another 'worry.' If the women of America will read, consider and adopt measures suggested by such study they will find the present high cost of living has been a blessing instead of a curse.

WANT MORE PAY

Doffers and Backboys on Strike

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 21.—The hundred-odd doffers and backboys at the Coates mills were still out on strike for more wages under the new 56 hour law today. A large number of twister tenders and other workers, who were thrown out of work when the boys struck, came to the mill this morning, but when they found that there was no work for them to do they returned quickly to their homes. It is said that about 900 have been thrown out of work by the strike, but that the some 1400 others employed in the mills will be able to remain at work for some time because of the great amount of work ahead of them. The boy strikers have no organization and many of their sympathizers fear that they cannot remain out for any length of time.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Lowell council, Royal Arcanum, was held last night and the following officers, who were recently elected, were installed: Regent, W. A. Chase; vice regent, E. I. Stillings; treasurer, George E. King; collector, W. F. Sanborn; secretary, Lyman A. Hodgman; orator, George T. McElroy; chaplain, L. H. DeVoe; guide, Frank C. Gilbert; warden, C. E. Barber; sentry, Nels Nelson; trustee, Frank W. Hurd; representative to grand council, H. J. Paradis and Fred Chandler. The installing officers were D. D., G. R. Deegan and A. H. Walsh.

After the business meeting a banquet was held. There were addresses by D. D., G. R. Deegan; musical selections by Brother Jackson; songs by Brother Walsh; addresses by P. R. Sawyer and P. R. Maynard of Highland council.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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OPEN EVENINGS

3297 AT YALE

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21.—A total registration of 3297 students representing fifty-two states and territories and sixteen foreign countries is shown by Yale university catalogue for 1910, issued today. The officers for the year numbered 196, an increase of 11 over 1909.

The total registration shows a decrease over last year owing to advanced requirements for entrance to the law school.

TO MEET BRITISH COMMISSION

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 21.—William Patterson, minister of customs, and William Fielding, minister of finance, left last night for New York to meet the members of the British commission of trade between the West Indies and Canada. Mr. Patterson will go to the West Indies with the commission.

PAY OF CENSUS AGENTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A favorable report has been ordered by the house census committee on a joint resolution fixing the maximum rate of pay of special agents of the census of $6 a day and traveling expenses and allowance of $3 a day in lieu of subsistence. The resolution has already passed the senate.

SIR SAMUEL GREY DEAD

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 21.—Sir Samuel H. Grey, formerly chief justice of Bermuda, died here last night. He was born in 1823.

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KELLEHER TRIAL

Set for Feb. 7 on Murder Charge

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Mary Kelleher of Somerville, who is under indictment for the murder of six of her relatives by poisoning, will be placed on trial Feb. 7 on the six counts of murder, according to the ruling of Chief Justice Aiken of the superior criminal court, who yesterday overruled the motion of Attorneys Bancroft and Stearns, who petitioned that she be tried on one count at a time.

In their motion the attorneys stated that Mrs. Kelleher was accused of several separate and distinct acts and that for her to be tried on the six counts at one time would unduly prejudice her right to a fair trial.

The chief justice has allowed the appointment of Dr. James Homer Wright as an expert for the defence.

CANADIAN LABOR LAW

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—One of the results of the recent visits here of Canadian Commissioner of Labor Mc-Kenzie King was a bill for the application of the Canadian labor law in the settlement of disputes which was introduced in the legislature today. The measure replaces the present board of conciliation and arbitration by a state board of labor whose duty shall be the securing of industrial peace.

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SID HESTER

WANTS TO PULL OFF NELSON-WOLGAST BOUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Sid Hester, San Francisco fight promoter, posted a $2500 forfeit last night as a guarantee that he will pull off a 45 round fight between Battling Nelson and Ad Wolgast on Feb. 22, either in this city or in San Mateo county.

ESTABLISHED NEW RECORD

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—M. McDermott, a high school swimmer, established a new American record for the 100 yard breast stroke in a match last night. His time was 1 minute and 17 seconds, clipping two seconds off the previous record.

FRANK DE GEORGE

Fined $50 for Illegal Keeping

Frank de George, whose place in North street was visited by the liquor inspectors a week ago Sunday, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with illegally keeping liquor when arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning. A fine of $50 was imposed.

Walter L. Burns, charged with drunkenness, was fined $6. There were three $2 drunks.

LANCE ARRESTED

Charged With Swindling People

CHICAGO, Jan. 21—Joseph C. Lance, 50 years of age, alias Borne, is under arrest here today on the charge of swindling more than a hundred persons out of a total of more than $60,000.

Lance was arrested on a warrant signed by Charles Churchill of Boston, who is registered at a local hotel. According to Churchill's story Lance under the name of Borne started a department store in Saco, Me., and is said to have arranged to get credit until he owed more than $60,000. Then it is alleged he overdrew his bank accounts, $4000 or $5000, and disappeared.

WITHOUT PAY

BOSTON OFFICIALS MUST WORK FOR NOTHING

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—There is wailing and gnashing of teeth at city hall these days and the cause of the woe is the discovery of another "flaw" in the new city charter.

Under a section of the charter the terms of the mayor, both branches of the city council and Street Commissioner Gallivan, whose terms would ordinarily have expired on Jan. 2, were extended to the first Monday in February, or Feb. 7. The same section provides that these officials shall, for the extended term, receive a compensation equal to one-twelfth of the annual salaries paid to them.

It was apparently figured that these officials would serve a month extra, and that they should be paid for a month extra.

Some of the close figurers at city hall, however, in poring over the question of time and pay have discovered that the charter framers have gotten the best of them. They figure that they will get paid extra for the month between Jan. 2 and Feb. 2. From this latter date to Jan. 7, however, they have discovered that they will not get paid, and what is worse they can't figure out any way that they can get paid for this time.

The extension of their terms and the compensation for the same they point out was provided for by legislative act, and they agree that the matter is thus settled. Mayor Hibbard alone will lose over $135 in salary.

OUR store closed all day tomorrow, owing to the death of our President and Treasurer, Mr. Chas. A. Mitchell.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.

GIVEN SENTENCE

Lynce Drew His Bayonet on Officer

WORCESTER, Jan. 21.—Charged with using his bayonet in an effort to "stick" a Worcester policeman, while he was trying to make an arrest, Cornelius J. Lynch, aged 20, a member of the Wellington rifles, Co. H, 2nd regiment, was sentenced to serve four months in the house of correction yesterday by Judge Utley in the central district court.

The complainant was Patrolman Michael A. Powers, who testified that while he was arresting a drunken man at Webster square Saturday night, Lynch, who was dressed in his militia uniform, approached him and demanded that the prisoner be given his liberty, telling the officer that the prisoner was a friend of his and he would care for him.

Inasmuch as the man was under arrest, Officer Powers declined to give him up and he said that Lynch then drew his bayonet and made a lunge at him. The policeman drew his revolver and told Lynch he would shoot unless he put up his bayonet. Lynch dropped his weapon and then a conductor from a passing electric car was called by the officer to prevent further interference.

Lynch, who had taken part in the battle scene in the Grand Army production of "The Drummer Boy," and was on his way home from the theatre, admitted he drew his bayonet on the officer, saying he did so to show "he meant business" when he asked for the release of his friend.

Lynch appealed from the sentence, but as he could not provide the $200 bail ordered by the court, he was remanded to jail.

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NO. 3: 1 Mi-Favorita, 1 King Carlos, 1 Fact Havana, 2 Gonzalo — 25c — 5 10c Havana Cigars for 25c

DON'T FORGET OUR BIG JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE OF FURNITURE

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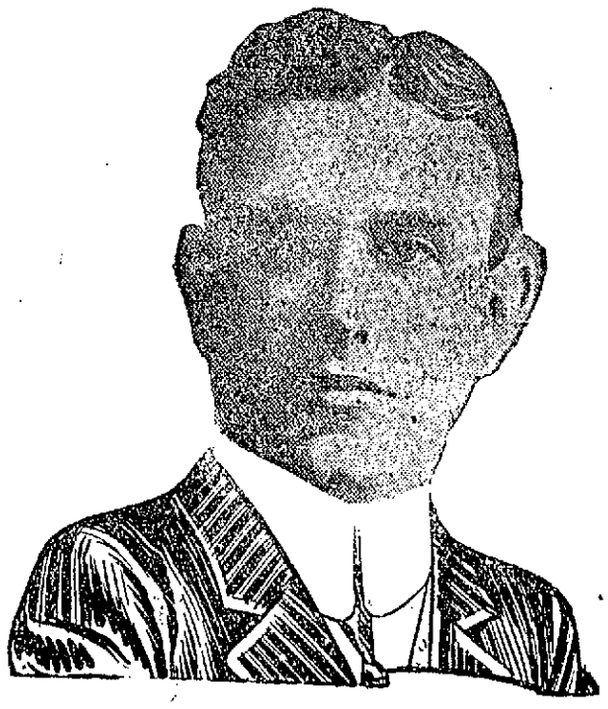
I Realize One Thing

Men will not buy Clothing as a general rule in January.

I say as a general rule. Here and there, however, there are exceptions. The question then with the business man, is to get more than his share of these exceptions. By getting a little more than his share, he beats out the dull season.

I have this dull season beaten to a batter. I have had to throw some extraordinary offerings to the careful buyer who really didn't need clothing now, but who bought when he saw those offerings. I have had to show by values to the man whose wants were more pressing, but I got his business.



Do You Realize One Thing?

Among the great number of men who responded to my Blue Serge offer for $12.50 one was a salesman from one of Lowell's Clothing houses, a man, by the way, who buys all his custom clothes from me. He wore his suit to his store. Right and left from all sides, the only criticism that could be made on the suit was Mitchell, nor no one else, can sell that suit for the money. He must be taking a loss on it during the dull season sale.

Do you realize that there is no dull season when a customer can walk into a store and get a suit like the one in question for the price I am charging?

Sir, do you think you need a suit now, yet if you came into my store and saw the suit you would leave an order for one. I know you would because all the other men who saw the goods ordered one. Risk an eye—see if I'm not right.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

SHOULD MILITARY DRILL BE COMPULSORY?

If it is opposition to real war that has induced some parents to oppose military drill in the high school, we think the opposition ill directed and bound to be barren of results. We admit that the parent should have the right to say whether his boy shall take up military drill at the high school, just as he should have the right to direct the boy's course of studies; but if the parent thinks that the military drill at the high school will turn any boy's head or fire his brain for experience in gory fields or even cause him to lead an expedition against the Indians, we believe he is greatly mistaken.

We believe, furthermore, he is mistaken in refusing to allow his boy to take the course in military drill—if the boy is able to stand the exercise.

Military drill as conducted at the high school is very valuable for discipline and physical exercise. In spite of this there are well founded objections to it on the ground of expense and other reasons, so that it would be wrong to make it compulsory on all high school students. Of course the state may have in mind the advantage of having a reasonable number of young men versed at least in the rudiments of military drill in case the country at any time should require their services. But the state militia exists to meet every such emergency, and in case of war we opine the volunteer who went no farther than the grammar school would be just as acceptable as the graduate of the high school who had taken the full course of military drill in the school regiment.

MR. OSGOOD AND THE PUBLIC HALL.

The speech of William N. Osgood before the Board of Trade on Wednesday evening was one of great public importance, one that was enthusiastically applauded by those who heard it and that appeals to the public spirit of our citizens.

Mr. Osgood spoke of the pressing need of a public hall, showing that the lack of a hall for public assemblies had injured the reputation of the city abroad and had resulted in street corner gatherings and rallies in violation of the ordinances.

Every sensible citizen will agree with Mr. Osgood in his expressed opinion as to the injury and inconvenience suffered by the city from the lack of a suitable hall for public assemblies.

Whether for political or other gatherings the public hall is greatly needed and should be built as soon as possible.

The people have voted in favor of the public hall. Mayor Meehan in his inaugural address urged the building of such a hall, and the citizens in general want it.

If the public hall would assist in doing away with the street brawling oratory, as Mr. Osgood alleges, one great step would have been taken in the direction of public order and decency by its early erection.

If any occasion arose on which it were necessary to call the citizens together in mass meeting, there is no hall nearly big enough for the purpose.

By adopting the right arrangement we can have a public hall that will be at least self-supporting. Then, why delay the work of selecting a site and getting ready to build as soon as the weather permits? If, as Mr. Osgood asserts, it is a matter that will benefit our city at home and improve its reputation abroad, why delay another hour in getting about the work?

TO PROTECT LONE ROOMERS.

The person who rooms alone in a lodging house, a boarding house or even in a hotel has to assume very serious chances of neglect in case of sudden illness, and this through no particular fault of the proprietors. It is the system that needs to be improved. Of course it would be unjust to condemn any of these classes of business people as lacking in kindness or the spirit of humanity that should induce them to make a reasonable effort to relieve the suffering of those who reside under their roof. The trouble is the suffering occurs without their knowledge.

Unfortunately many cases come to light from time to time to show that roomers in certain lodging houses may be stricken with sudden illness and spend several days alone in a room suffering intense pain, only to be relieved by death without a word of consolation, without the ministration of religion and without the charity of even a cup of cold water. We had a striking example of this a short time ago.

There seems to be something wrong in these conditions, something that calls for a remedy. On account of the character of our factory population a large proportion of them has to live in this way—rooming alone and boarding in the same or some other house. The woman who rooms alone, agreeing to keep her room in order, is usually secluded largely from the rest of the household and, therefore, most liable to be unattended if taken suddenly ill.

Would it be too much of a hardship to impose upon the proprietors of lodging houses, boarding houses or hotels to order that they shall see that no sick person shall lie unattended during illness in any of their rooms or apartments, and that if the case requires it, a doctor shall be called or the patient sent to a hospital? This is the very least that humane treatment demands, and it is reasonable to suppose that there would be little or no objection to any such regulation.

In the days of the old corporation boarding houses, no precaution such as here suggested would be necessary, but times, customs and even people have changed, and it is necessary in this, as in other matters, to deal with existing conditions as we find them. It behooves us to see that nobody shall die of want, or in the loneliness of a room in any hotel or lodging house.

The possibilities of neglect, suffering and consequent death to which we have referred can all be averted by proper regulation of hotels, lodging houses and boarding houses, and whatever regulation is needed in this direction should be provided as soon as possible so that nobody may be left to die of pneumonia or any other disease alone in a room without attendance of any kind, and so that no resident of Lowell, however humble, may ever have reason to exclaim:—

"Alas for the rarity
Of Christian charity
Under the sun."

SEEN AND HEARD

Here's an old one: If your father is three times as old as you are now, how long before your father will be but twice as old as you? What are your respective ages now and what will be your ages when your father is but twice as old as you?

That that is is and that that is not is not. Read this so as to make sense.

There is a "to," a "too" and a "two" in the English language. How would you say, in writing, that there are three such words in the English language?

How would you pronounce this word: "Mac-hin-ery?"

In view of the fact that the Riker-Jaynes Co. succeeded in getting a very favorable location in Salem for its business, it is rather interesting to know the means by which it has secured the lease of the best corner in the city of Worcester. The corner has been occupied for 58 years by the Eames clothing house and the firm renewed a lease of the present quarters only last October and for five years and yet, through court proceedings, the property is to be leased to the big drug concern for a period of 10 years at an average of over $20,000 a year, while $40,000 is to be expended as a starter in putting the corner in shape for the business. The Eames people thought their lease as good as gold, and thought they would still continue to do business at the old stand, but the courts ruled differently.—Salem News.

Whispered scandal always sounds like a stage whisper.

It's better to be lucky than to be superstitious about luck.

It's easy for a woman to fool a man who thinks he can't be fooled.

Give but little advice and applaud frequently if you would be popular.

It doesn't take much nerve to raise the deuce in a poker game.

Some invalids don't take electric treatment because they kick at the charge.

A man never knows how many friends he has until he gets into politics, nor how few he has until he gets out of office.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Charles T. King, the London Express parliamentary representative, has written the story of the parliament that recently came to an end, with vivid personal sketches. Mr. King, writing of Mr. Balfour, says:

"To my mind, the prince of parliament is Mr. Arthur Balfour. He is the man with the most winning personality in present politics. More than any other man, he is compact of delicate gentleness and fine fighting strength. His was the most exalted mind in the house of commons of 1906-9. He is the prince among politicians. He is at once the most detached man in the house of commons and the man with the most nimble grasp of the things going on in the house. He is the philosopher of modern British politics. He has the most subtle brain of all the splendid brains now in the fight.

"It is difficult to tell when it is that the house of commons—not a party, but the whole house of commons—admires him the more; on the one hand, when he is soaring away on some brilliant survey of the national position in a speech full of grace and fervor, of flexible eloquence, of fresh and sometimes bizarre illustration and of stabbing phrase, or, on the other hand, when he is making a detailed indictment."

Mr. Winston Churchill is realized with equal skill:

"There was one young man, with caustic tongue, shifty eyes, bent shoulders, marvellous gift of abuse and thin hair, a master of denunciation, who sat hunched up on the treasury bench, or stood wielding the party balancing-pole over the puzzles of Chinese labor, or bent forward making paper triangles. He was the brilliant "catch" of the liberal government. He knew the game. He was the last man even on this wideawake treasury bench, whom anybody would be likely to be fool enough to think they could deceive.

"He was above all things astute. He was one of the quickest men to see an opportunity and jump quickly. He had a way, so used was he to action and occupation, of beguiling waiting moments on the treasury bench by taking up some of the nation's stationery, spreading out one long sheet of foolscap, rolling it up into a hollow pipe, bending it in two places, fitting the two tube ends together and making a paper triangle.

"You could generally tell when he had been sitting on the treasury bench and whereabouts he had sat by the litter of torn and crumpled paper on the floor. There are men—I met one the other day—who are keeping paper triangles as mementos of this remarkable young man.

"He seemed to have large vats of staining liquor to give a new and disreputable tinge to his party opponents, to the men of the party of which he himself a few years before had been a fascinating and shining light. His name is Mr. Winston Churchill."

When H. B. Harris, the manager, proffered $25,000 to endow the teaching of playwriting at Harvard if nine other men would contribute like sums, Professor Baker, who instituted and conducts the course that the college now offers in that subject, sent him the following letter: "I have received newspaper clippings to the effect that you have generously offered $25,000 on the condition that nine other persons will contribute a like amount towards the founding and maintenance of the work in Harvard college in playwriting. May I ask if this report is correct? If so, I should like to see you as soon as possible in order that I may set about interesting the nine other givers. We do need badly just about the sum you named, for, unless a chair in the subject is endowed here, I much fear that in case anything happens to me the work might be run in very different fashion. What will make the work of permanent value will be an endowed chair under carefully specified conditions. I should hope that such a sum as you name might provide not only the endowed chair, but a building containing a small but perfectly equipped theatre, some room for conferences and lectures, and a small library of plays, dramatic prints, models of historical stages, and current publications of the drama in different languages." Mr. Baker has had his conversation with Mr. Harris found the report to be true, and has begun, with fair token of ultimate success, "to interest other givers."

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$14 Suits for $7.50

Men's Winter Suits

Sold up to $23 for $15

We have added to our lots at $15, nearly 100 men's fine pure worsted and fancy cheviot suits that were $20 and $23, and young men's suits from Rogers-Peet that sold up to $25. The newest effects of the season. Every suit hand tailored, splendid fitting and the best values shown in town for $20 and up to $25. These lots now to close $15.

$23 Suits for $15

Men's Hand Tailored Winter Suits

Value up to $15 for $10

This lot embraces the most attractive patterns and best materials that we have ever offered for $10. Every coat has a hand-felled collar; every suit is new this season. The fabrics fancy worsteds and all wool cheviots—the fit is as good as in our most expensive lots. A few suits were $12 and $13, but the great majority of this collection are splendid $15 values—all $10.

$15 Suits for $10

Rogers, Peet & Co.'s Suits

Sold up to $28 for $20

This is a group of our finest suits, a majority of them made by Rogers' Peet & Co., the others from one of the finest manufacturers. The cream of the season's fabrics and patterns, strictly hand tailored throughout and equal in fit, finish, quality and style to expensive suits from merchant tailors—were $25 and $28, all now $20.

$28 Suits for $20

Our Overcoat Sale Has Been Great

No further MARK DOWN will be made. The limit of reduction in prices has been reached, but a few hundred coats to sell—and you'll never buy them for less than they are offered today.

$7.50 For ALL WOOL black kersey and black melton regulation OVERCOATS, nicely made and capitally trimmed, sold up to $12. And for fancy overcoats sold up to $12.

$12 For fancy overcoats, protector collars or regular lapels, that sold up to $18, a wonderfully attractive lot of styles in the most acceptable colors of the season.

$20 For ROGERS-PEET'S expensive tourist coats, all with silk shoulders, sold for $30. English storm coats, double breasts, sold for $28. Regulation overcoats of fine meltons and St. George kerseys, sold for $25.

$9.50 For fancy overcoats with military collars or regular lapels, neat and stylish fancy coatings and cheviots for men and young men, sold up to $13.

$15 For all of the fancy overcoats, single or double breast, regular lapel or military collar, sold up to $23. And two lots of regular overcoats sold up to $23.

$25 For ROGERS-PEET'S fine overcoats, black and oxford coatings, all with silk shoulders, sold up to $32.

$30 For ROGERS-PEET'S most expensive overcoats, all regulation make. 10 of these only, that sold for $40 and $45.

Our Semi-Annual Sale of Men's Shoes

We are ready now to "let go" of the Winter Shoes and clean house. You'll find some mighty good bargains in the lots advertised today—stylish, well made, comfortable shoes.

Men's Winter Shoes

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FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

Conference Held at Home of Dr. Stowell

Physicians Discuss the "White Plague" and How to Battle With It—Dr. Martin Tells of Local Health Conditions

The trustees and the physicians of the Lowell General hospital and a number of prominent men who are interested in the fight against tuberculosis, were the guests last evening of Dr. Charles H. Stowell, chairman of the board of trustees, at his home in Fairmount street.

The object of the meeting was to arouse interest in the campaign against the white plague, and for an hour the gathering listened to addresses upon the subject.

In opening the meeting Dr. Stowell spoke of the work done at the tuberculosis camp connected with the Lowell General hospital.

At a recent hospital meeting, he said, the medical committee had presented such an interesting report concerning the work that it was thought advisable to have it read before a larger audience. Shorn of its statistics, it contained certain deductions and recommendations that he had asked Dr. George L. Van Deursen to read to this meeting.

Dr. Van Deursen then read the following synopsis of the report:

"In all there were 43 patients admitted during the past season, with an average attendance of something over one-half that number. Thirty-five of the patients gained in weight. Some of them as high as from 20 to 25 pounds. The committee says that while the season's report shows no brilliant cures, nor any startling innovations in the treatment of this dread disease, yet a careful study of the cases will impress more and more forcibly the fact that 'prevention is better than cure.'

"It is easier and far cheaper to fight an enemy outside the citadel than to dispossess him after he has gained a foothold. Few of these cases will come to the hospital or camp till failing strength, lost weight and the troublesome cough show the enemy firmly entrenched.

"To wage a successful warfare some means must be devised to reach these cases in an earlier stage. Experience of the past four years has shown that if these cases are to be materially benefited by such a camp as this, they must be seen earlier.

"Mr. Ayer has done a monumental work in providing such an establishment as this. Good work has been done, and still more can be done, but we can only reiterate, to obtain the greatest benefit from the facilities at hand, patients must be brought under observation earlier. Every year your committee has tried to fill the camp with strictly incipient or only moderately advanced cases. Failing in this we have given the preference to cases a little further advanced, but still promising some hope of arresting it, not curing the disease.

"Even with this liberal policy, and, thanks to Mr. Ayer's great generosity, providing care in the majority of cases without any expense to the patient, it has been difficult to keep the camp filled with desirable cases. Cases that are willing to come are too often too far advanced to obtain any permanent benefit or so far that their presence would prove a menace to other inmates of the camp.

"The educational value to the community of such an object lesson cannot be estimated, but of the great white plague is to be stamped out, the fight must follow it into its breeding place—that is, the home.

"Tuberculosis is a house disease, and sanitary inspection, disinfection, compulsory notification of all cases, enforcement of the 'no spitting' laws and the destruction of sputa from all patients known to be tubercular are necessary if we would make any headway in this fight for prevention. The hearty co-operation of every physician in this city must be had.

"Notification of the health authorities need work no hardship on any patients, as the records of such cases need be open only to the proper officers, but suitable cases can be advised to go to a camp or sanitarium. The more advanced cases can be taught (by district nurse or sanitary inspector) how to care for their sputum so that they may not be a menace to other members of the family or the community at large."

Dr. Cleveland Floyd

Dr. Cleveland Floyd of Brookline, closely identified with the work in Boston, was then introduced.

He said that the experience of the past years had shown that tuberculosis could be fought in three ways, by education, by isolation, and by the improvement of living conditions in the homes. The campaign of education had been pretty well carried on in all the large cities, and the public was generally aroused to the menace of the disease, and the fact that it could be coped with if taken in time. The matter of isolation had largely resolved itself into a question of finance. In New York there were 30,000 cases beyond the incipient stage, and it would require enough money to isolate them at a cost computed at $7.50 a bed. The question of improving living conditions was one that required more tact, and was one in which less progress had been made. This would surely have to be accomplished, however.

Speaking of the measures taken in Boston, Dr. Floyd gave some very interesting facts concerning the treatment of children at Franklin park, where children already attacked by the disease, but who can be cured, are housed and given schooling, summer and winter, with a remarkable improvement in every case. He said it is now proposed to have open air school rooms for children who show a tendency to develop the disease.

"Nothing less than an invasion of the home is necessary to check this disease," he continued. "Where a case is found in the last stages, the whole family must undergo an examination, for we frequently find two or three incipient cases among the other members."

Dr. James B. Field

Dr. James B. Field, president of the hospital staff, said that a camp was only one of several means of fighting the disease, and that there was much more to be done than Lowell was doing. He had just read an article by Dr. Floyd in which the latter made the surprising statement that one-third of the children in the public schools showed traces of tuberculosis in some form.

This suggested the importance of the work of a district nurse in the city. If a case of tuberculosis was discovered in the schools it was the duty of somebody to follow it into the home, study the conditions there, and see that the proper treatment was given. "We can do nothing for tuberculosis unless we have the co-operation of the board of health," he said in conclusion.

Dr. G. Forrest Martin

Dr. G. Forrest Martin of the board of health followed him. He said that while there were many problems that should receive the attention of the Lowell board of health, he had determined when becoming a member of the board to devote himself to two of them, the control of tuberculosis and the checking of infant mortality; which meant pure milk. The two went together, because improper nourishment of children was often the first step to tuberculosis. He told how the board last year had compiled a record of deaths from the disease in Lowell for five years, and how the startling discovery was made that certain infected tenements were breeding the disease. One tenement had a record of six deaths in five different families, which had followed one another in this tuberculosis incubator.

"This shows the absolute necessity of protecting people against themselves," he continued. "It became necessary at once to inspect the tenements, and we soon found ourselves up against the greed of certain landlords. We came across such things as a building four stories high housing 60 families. Dirt and darkness and dampness, the three worst factors to fight, are fostered by such conditions. We brought about some improvements, and then began to make an inspection after each death, advising the family how to disinfect and protect itself against the danger of a spread of the disease. Now we have advanced still another step, and compel landlords to put their property into a safe condition following such deaths. We need hearty public support in this work. One landlord told us in cold blood that property of this sort that he had bought had paid for itself within five years. But the price of such an investment was the health of his tenants.

"I doubt if the first results of our efforts will reduce the death rate one per cent. We have only laid the foundation, and we must now build upon it. We have asked the city council for a special appropriation of $5000 to carry on the fight, and every physician should help us secure it."

Other Speakers

Charles Runels spoke a few words as a landlord, though not the type referred to by Dr. Martin. He said that sanitary conditions in tenement property were the most profitable in the long run, and that the board of health had it in its power to make other conditions always unprofitable. A campaign of education was very important, he believed, and should extend to tenants as well as landlords, since the latter often worked to bring about the conditions complained of.

Arthur G. Pollard closed the speaking, paying a high tribute to the generosity of Frederick Fanning Ayer in establishing the Lowell camp. He said that as a business man he was deeply interested in the campaign against the white plague.

The company then adjourned to the dining room, where they were most hospitably entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Stowell.

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Children's Coats $3.98, that formerly sold as high as $6.98, all colors and all sizes.

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Muffs—Scarfs—Sets all included in this final mark down that in many cases are fully one-half our original price.

The Caesar Misch Store
ALEXANDER STRAUSS, PROP.
220 CENTRAL STREET

LARGE ESTATE

VALUED AT $1,000,000 LEFT TO ELMA DARE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 21.—Instead of cutting off Elma Dare, the woman who is now seeking to establish the legality of her alleged marriage to the late George Rhodius, he left her his entire estate valued at about $1,000,000, according to a will filed for probate yesterday.

The filing of the new will came as a surprise. By the codicil of a will filed previously Rhodius left $500,000 to the city of Indianapolis for parks. The remainder of Rhodius' fortune was distributed among friends and relatives. Miss Dare was cut off without a cent.

The filing of the will yesterday complicated the Rhodius case. After many legal contests the marriage of Elma Dare and Rhodius was annulled by the circuit court at Greenfield, Ind., it being held that Rhodius was of unsound mind when the ceremony took place. Elma Dare appealed the case to the supreme court, where it is now pending.

PROTECTIVE TARIFF LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Representatives from 19 states attended the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the American protective tariff league here yesterday, and adopted a resolution, introduced by Henry B. Joy of Detroit, deprecating further tariff agitation, and objecting to the re-election of congressmen who were "enemies of protection" or "promoters of tariff disturbance and uncertainty."

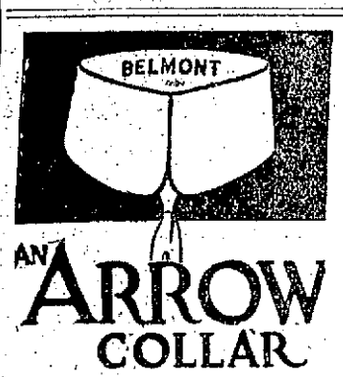
The preamble of the resolution stated "that confidence had been restored, all branches of business have resumed their normal activity; labor is well employed, and a renewal of prosperity has been brought about" as the result of tariff revision.

Coughs cured with Lung Kure—never fails. Get a bottle from the drug store.

HELD A COTILLION

A very pretty cotillion was held in Merrimack hall, Wednesday night under the auspices of the clerks in the office of the local branch of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. The interior of the hall was artistically decorated and the attendance was large.

The favors in the cotillion were jockey caps for the men and parasols for the ladies. Those who directed the party were: Misses Rooney, Jenkins, Maloney, Hill and Mary and Anna McCartin. The music was furnished by Gilmore's orchestra.



AN ARROW COLLAR
with the Ara-Notch in place of the bothersome buttonhole 15c. each—2 for 25c.
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ARROW CUFFS, 25c. a Pair

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NEVER FAILS TO RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL COLOR AND BEAUTY.
No matter how old and faded your hair looks, or how long you have been gray, it will work wonders for you, keep you looking young, promote a luxuriant growth of healthy hair, stop its falling out and Positively Remove Dandruff.
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Will not soil skin or linen. Will not injure your hair. Is Not a Dye.
REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES
$1.00 and 50c. Bottles, at Druggists
Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N.J., U.S.A.
A. W. DOWS & CO., F. P. MOODY, F. J. CAMPBELL, CARLETON & HOVEY, A. E. MOORE, RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORES.

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Saturday, Great Bargains
In Trimmed and Untrimmed Millinery and Furs

$5.00, now $1.98

$10, now $4.98

$8.00, now $2.98

$3.00, now 98c

$1.98, now 98c

$1.48, now 48c
$15 Black Belgian Lynx Sets
Handsome, lustrous Fur Sets; large Rug Muffs and Russian Shawl Collars, trimmed with heads and tails; lined with fine shirred silk, only.
$7.98
FUR HATS
$8.00 and $10.00, now $3.00 and $5.00

GIVEN A BANQUET

Captains in Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Were Feted

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Hurd street, last night, a complimentary banquet was tendered the captains of the teams of the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign. Supper was served at seven o'clock and there were about 35 men present. During the supper hour there was music by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra and after the wants of the inner man had been catered to, F. A. Bowen, president of the association, called to order and thanked the men present for their cooperation in the recent campaign work. He said, however, that the officers of the association were still in need of help; they were looking to the committees for further aid and he said it would be great if that body of 300 men could be permanently organized.

Charles F. Fleming, chairman of the committee which secured the largest contribution, was the next speaker. He urged that every member of the committee of 300, if not already members of the Y. M. C. A. to become one at once and secure as many new members as he can. He said that it was absolutely necessary to get new members into the association, in order that the institution might be kept running until the new quarters are ready to be occupied. In order to move into the new building, money is needed to insure things running smoothly before the change is made, and the daily expenses of the institution must be met.

Frederick A. Flather thanked the team captains for their work, and reviewed some incidents of the campaign. Mr. Flather said that he would answer for the executive committee and was positive that they would each one take out a $10 membership. He thought that such a movement should work up from the bottom, however, and suggested that were the younger men to join, it would become incumbent upon the business men's committee, and after that the citizens' committee, also to join. The campaign for the new building should not stop here. It should develop into a great uplift for the entire city, in which not the higher state, but the whole mass should be raised.

Dr. Yarnell talked to the men about the advantages of joining the association, even in its present quarters. Several new classes have been added, and a man, the speaker asserted, would get his money's worth.

Among those present were F. A. Flather, F. A. Bowen, S. H. Thompson, Dr. Yarnell, J. A. Hunnewell, Stanley Qua, Craven Midgley, B. W. Wiggin, Rev. George E. Tomkinson, Albion F. Swanton, George H. Taylor, James Ramsay, Walter Booth, Burray Pratt, Milo D. Clay, Charles Fleming and Stanley Crysler.

THE LOOMFIXERS

In Navy Yard Want to Retain 58 Hours' Pay

The loomfixers of the Merrimack Woolen mills are at odds with the management on the question of wages. The mill management refused to talk about the trouble. In fact Agent Morrison said he didn't know anything about it.

The five loomfixers went out yesterday afternoon. It seems that when the new 56 hour law went into effect their pay was cut accordingly and they received pay for 56 instead of 58 hours. The loomfixers wanted the 58 hour wage continued and argued that other mills conforming to the 56 hour law did not reduce the wages of the loomfixers. There are 150 looms to look after. It is expected that the matter will be adjusted without any further trouble.

HIGH ST. CHURCH

HELD ITS ANNUAL PARISH SUPPER LAST NIGHT

The annual parish supper of High Street Congregational church was held in the church vestry last night. There were about 250 people present. An excellent supper was served and it was followed by the usual flow of eloquence. William H. G. Wight was moderator and introduced Robert F. Marden as toastmaster, Mr. Marden called upon Major Charles A. Stott, Rev. N. W. Matthews of the Gorham Street P. M. church, Deacon Edward W. Clark, Rev. James E. Gregg of Kirk Street Congregational church and Rev. Allan C. Ferrin, pastor of High street church.

Major Stott spoke of the church situation in the city 60 years ago and compared it to the conditions today. Sixty years ago there were 25,000 Protestants in the city and 14 churches. He quoted Rev. Mr. Kenngott as saying that there are now in the city about 25,000 Protestants and 53 churches and missions. The major wanted to know what had best be done about it. He maintained that the time would come when Lowell Protestant churches should seek unification.

Rev. Mr. Matthews urged greater interest in church, city, state and national affairs, and he declared it was a matter for shame that in Boston over $100,000 could be spent by one man to be elected mayor, when charities in Lowell and in Massachusetts were in such dire need of funds. Deacon E. W. Clark gave some interesting reminiscences of the church in its past 30 years. Rev. Mr. Gregg gave a talk on what the true meaning of the church is and what its strong points are. Rev. Mr. Ferrin was the last speaker.

The choir sang twice and there were solos by Warren T. Reid and Mrs. H. N. Peabody.

Before the gathering closed there were resolutions of sorrow and sympathy adopted on the death of Mrs. C. W. Huntington.

RECOUNT ENDED

IT SHOWED A CHANGE OF BUT 13 VOTES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—A change of but 13 votes in the plurality given Mayor-elect John F. Fitzgerald resulted from the recount of the mayoralty vote of Boston cast last week Tuesday, which was completed last night. The plurality of 1115 was reduced to 1102, a net gain of 13 votes being found in the recount for James J. Storrow, the defeated candidate. Mayor George A. Hibbard gained six votes, while Nathaniel H. Taylor's total was unchanged.

The recount of the vote for nine members of the common council resulted in no change.

The recount of the mayoralty vote was asked for by both Mr. Storrow and Mr. Fitzgerald.

SHUT DOWN WORK

KINGSTON, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Rather than pay wages paid by independent dealers, the American Ice Co. declined to accede to demands of laborers, who demand $2.50 per day, and shut down work at all its houses in Kingston and Glasco.

Madam, Would You Like a Healthy Complexion?

The rosy cheeks, red lips, and bright sparkling eyes of natural healthy beauty is the only kind that charms. Lotions, washes, paints and powders deceive no one. The real Beauty of Health comes only with pure rich blood. What makes pure red blood? Why, your stomach, liver and bowels all working right. Dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and biliousness will ruin any complexion. To get rid of these and have the Beauty of Health, the only real Beauty, take Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills. They invigorate the blood, strengthen the nerves, and the skin becomes rosy and red, showing the circulation is normal and active as Nature intended it should be. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

To Cure Constipation Biliousness and Sick Headache in a Night, use

60 Pills in Glass Vial 25c.—All Dealers.

SMITH'S BUCHU LITHIA KIDNEY PILLS For Sick Kidneys Bladder Diseases, Rheumatism, the one best remedy. Reliable, endorsed by leading physicians; safe, effectual. Results lasting. On the market 18 years. Have cured thousands. 100 pills in original glass package, 50 cents. Trial boxes, 50 pills, 25 cents. All druggists sell and recommend.

A LITTLE RED SPOT

Novel Experiment By Which It May Be Made to Disappear

A peculiar feature about poslam, the new skin discovery, is that no one is asked to buy it without first sending to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, for an experimental sample and applying same to an affected part of the skin, about the size of a silver dollar. It will clear the spot so treated in twenty-four hours—a remarkable visual demonstration of its powers.

While poslam has been mentioned principally in connection with the cure of eczema, the most stubborn of skin diseases, it must be remembered that when used for itch, hives, pimples, blotches, acne, itching feet, scaly scalp, chafing of infants and similar minor skin troubles its action is all the more pronounced, results being seen after an overnight application. As only a small quantity of poslam is necessary to cure such cases, a special fifty-cent package usually sufficient, has been placed on sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's and other leading drug stores in Lowell and throughout the country.

MRS. BELMONT

TO STUMP STATE FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont has decided to stump the state for woman suffrage. The itinerary will include the large cities and towns like Binghamton, Syracuse, Elmira and Buffalo, and will begin next week. Mrs. Belmont will be accompanied by the Rev. Anna Shaw, the national president.

BILLERICA

The recently elected officers of Talbot lodge, N. E. O. P., were installed at a meeting held Wednesday night. The installation was conducted by Deputy Grand Warden N. S. Davis and suite, and those installed were as follows:

Junior past warden, Clarence A. Bowman; warden, Francis A. D. Singhi; vice warden, Stephen W. Stackpole; secretary, Mrs. Ida M. Brown; financial secretary, Mrs. Isabel J. Benson; treasurer, T. Frank Lyons; chaplain, Mrs. Alice McDermott; guide, Alfred J. Strickland; guardian, Herbert M. Kendall; sentinel, Ora E. Bohonon; trustee for three years Frank S. Bartlett.

At the conclusion of the exercises, D. G. W. Davis, in behalf of the lodge, presented the retiring warden, C. A. Bowman, a past warden silver badge and a fitting response was made by the recipient.

After the close of the meeting all adjourned to the banquet hall, where 100 covers were laid, and enjoyed a bountiful supper, consisting of oysters, cakes, pies and coffee. Speeches were made by the grand officers and visitors. A very good time was enjoyed by all.

An enjoyable sleighride party was held Wednesday night by about 25 young people of the town. The destination of the merrymakers was Bedford, and after enjoying the ride to Bedford and back, supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Allen in Wilson street, after which a musical and literary program was carried out. The following numbers were rendered: Piano selections, Charles Ritchie, Miss Hilda Perry; duet, Misses Maud and Doris Ellis; selection by John T. Stott and Miss Sarah Stott; solo, Miss Anna McCusker; recitation, Miss Grace Hull. The chaperons were Misses Agnes Allen, Cecil Manning, Jessie Allen; Frank Mullen, toastmaster. Those in charge were Misses Bessie Allen, Grace Hull and Anna McCusker.

AMERICANS AT COURT

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The emperor and empress held a court at the palace last night. The number of American presentations was unusually large. In the ambassadorial party were Ambassador and Mrs. David Jayne Hill, Miss Katherine Hill, Cyrus W. Wicker, of New York, acting as Mr. Hill's private secretary; Joseph C. Grew, second secretary of the embassy, and Mrs. Grew; Captain Samuel G. Sharle, military attache, and Mrs. Sharle, Gustave Schulle, third secretary, and Mrs. Schulle.

CHARGES OF FRAUD

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Fifty property holders, notaries and real estate agents were examined yesterday in the investigation begun by the state's attorney in the alleged "kiting" of real estate deals, which the Chicago and Western Indiana railroad in a civil suit declared it was defrauded out of $850,000. The charge is made by the road against Benjamin Thomas, former president of the road, and John C. Fetzer and Chas. R. Kappes, both of whom handled much of the company's real estate business.

Special Bargains for Friday and Saturday

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Tailored and Lawn Waists

98c WAISTS 49c

Soiled and counter mussed Waists, also a few discontinued styles, all reduced to ..... Clearance Price 49c

$1.50 AND $1.98 WAISTS 98c

Entire stock of $1.50 Waists reduced to 98c. Among these are some $1.98 and $2.98 Waists..... Clearance Price 98c

ALL OU RBETTER WAISTS ARE REDUCED FOR A QUICK CLEARANCE AS WE TAKE STOCK FEB. 1ST.

$42.50-$45.00 TAILORED SUITS $19.98

If you can find your size in this lot of suits you will be well paid for your trouble. These suits were our model and high priced suits. This is a special reduction for Friday and Saturday.

Clearance Price $19.98

An Actual Reduction of 10 per cent. Made on All Fur Coats Bought Friday and Saturday.

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Optician

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Glasses Made and Repaired

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

THE UNUSUAL BARGAINS which are evident at these Department Clearance Sales are forcible reminders that when this store starts out to make "Clearance Sale prices" we offer values that mean to our customers the greatest savings they can find.

Jewelry and Silverware

STERLING SILVER GOODS

Cloth Brushes, reg. price $3.75, sale price.....$2.75
Cloth Brushes, reg. price $3.25, sale price.....$2.25
Hat Brushes, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Curved Hat Brushes, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Curved Hat Brushes, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Brush and Comb, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$3.50
Brush and Comb, bead pattern, reg. price $9.00, sale price.....$6.50
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Whisk Brooms, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Whisk Brooms, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Silver Top Tooth Brush Holders, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....69c
Silver Top Tooth Powder Holders, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Silver Top Tooth Powder Holders, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Silver Top Large Cold Cream Jar, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Silver Top Large Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 98c, sale price.....75c
Silver Top Small Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 89c, sale price.....69c
Silver Top Small Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Napkin Rings, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Napkin Rings, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Napkin Rings, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....75c
Shaving Brushes, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Bon Bon Tongs, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Vases, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.75
Nursery Sets, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Men's and Women's Combs, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.25
Nail Polishers, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Shoe Horn and Files, reg. price 85c, sale price.....69c
Files, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Files, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Files, reg. price 50c, sale price.....39c
Shaving Soap Holder, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Manicure Scissors, reg. price $2.00, sale price.....$1.50
Embroidery and Manicure Scissors, reg. price $1.50, sale price $1.25
Embroidery Scissors, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Manicure Scissors, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Sewing Scissors, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
Grape Scissors, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.25

GERMAN SILVER GOODS

Manicure and Brush, comb and mirror set, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $6.75, sale price.....$5.00
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.00
Military Brushes, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.00
Card Cases and Purse, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....50c
Ebony Finish Brush and Comb, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....75c
Fancy Brush and Comb Sets, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....69c
Scissors with Shields, reg. prices 80c and $1.25, sale prices 69c and 75c

JEWELRY

Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $5.50, sale price.....$3.50
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $4.50, sale prices.....$3.00 and $3.25
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $4.00, sale price.....$2.75
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.25
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.00
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.00
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....75c
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....65c
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale price.....25c

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Trinket Trays, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Fobs, reg. prices $1.25 and $1.50; sale price.....89c
Ash Trays, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Belt Pins, reg. prices $1, $1.25 and $1.50, sale prices 75c, 89c and 98c
Belt Pins, reg. prices $1.75 and $1.89, sale price.....$1.25
Bar Pins, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Bar Pins, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
Hat Pins, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
No duplicates in this lot—every piece is exclusive.

JET JEWELRY

Hair Barrettes, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Shirt Waist Sets, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Bar Pins, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Collar and Bar Pins, reg. price 25c, sale price.....15c
Dull Jet Back and Side Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....75c
Jet Top Braid Pins, reg. price 50c, sale price.....25c
Gun Metal Trimmed Combs, reg. prices $4.50 and $5.50, sale prices $1.00 and $1.75

(Dull Jet, Coral and Blue.)

Dog Collars, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale prices.....25c and 50c
Collar Buttons, reg. prices 60c dozen, sale price.....25c dozen
Lace Pins, assorted shades, reg. price 10c card, sale price.....5c card
Fans, fancy wood fans, reg. prices 29c, 50c and 75c, sale prices 23c, 39c and 55c
White Fans, reg. price 50c, sale prices.....25c and 35c
White Fans, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
White Fans, reg. price $1.00, sale prices.....65c and 69c
White Fans, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c

COMBS

Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $4.50, sale price $3.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $3.25, sale price $2.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price $2.25
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $2.00, sale price $1.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $1.50, sale price.. 98c
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $1.00, sale price 69c
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $6.75, sale price $4.25
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price $4.00
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $4.50, sale price $3.25
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Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $4.00, sale price $2.25
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.98
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price.....$3.75
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price.....$3.50
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$3.00
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.50
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.25
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$1.98
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $2.50, sale price.....$1.50
Hair Barrettes, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Coronet Hair Pins (3 in set), reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.25
Coronet Hair Pins (3 in set), reg. price $2.00, sale price.....$1.50
Hair Pins (3 in box), reg. price 25c box, sale price.....10c box

Leather Goods, Novelties and Bags

Telephone Registers, reg. prices 50c, 75c, 98c, sale prices 30c, 35c, 50c and 69c
Stamp Boxes, reg. prices 15c, 19c, 50c, sale price.....5c, 10c and 25c
Jewel and Watch Cases, reg. price 50c, sale price.....25c
Jewel Boxes, reg. prices 25c, 50c, 89c, $1, sale prices 19c, 35c, 65c, 75c
Pocket Toilet Cases, reg. prices 25c and 39c, sale prices...19c and 20c
Twine Boxes, reg. prices 50c, sale price.....35c
Work Boxes, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices.....10c and 25c
Playing Cards and Case, reg. price 25c, sale price.....15c
Bridge Whist Cases, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....25c
Address and Engagements, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Pocket Match Boxes, reg. price 25c, sale price.....19c
Watch Bracelets, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale price.....25c
Daily Menu and Wants, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale prices 35c and 59c
Hasty Lines, reg. prices 39c, 50c, 89c, sale prices.....29c, 35c, 69c
Bill Folders, reg. prices $1.25, $3.00, $3.25, $4.25, sale prices 89c, $2.25, $2.75, $2.98
Bank Clerk's Check Holders, reg. prices $1.75, $2.75 and $3.25, sale prices.....$1.25, $2.00, $2.25
Medicine Cases (damaged), reg. prices $4 and $4.50, sale price $1.98
Desk Pads, reg. price 75c, sale price.....25c
Letter Holders, reg. price 98c, sale price.....35c
Novel Holders, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....50c
Post Card Albums, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices....10c and 35c
Wellesley Bags, reg. prices 75c, $1 and $1.50, sale prices 35c, 50c, 75c
Wellesley Bags, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices.....10c and 25c

Brass Goods

Desk Sets, reg. price $12.00, sale price.....$8.50
Desk Sets, reg. price $8.50, sale price.....$7.00
Desk Sets, reg. price $5.75, sale price.....$4.50
Desk Sets, reg. price $4.50, sale price.....$3.50
Brass Rulers, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Brass Inks, reg. prices 75c, $1.00 and $1.50, sale prices 59c, 75c, $1.25
Brass Stamps, reg. price 85c, sale price.....69c
Brass Letter Clips, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Brass Library Scissors, reg. prices 50c, $1, $1.50, $1.75, $2 and $2.25, sale prices.....35c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
Picture Frames, reg. price 50c, sale price.....39c
Medallion Frames, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices....10c and 35c
China Frames, reg. price 75c, sale price.....49c
Leather Bags, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....98c
Leather Bags, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....50c
Strap Pocket Book, real seal, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$1.89
Pocketbooks, reg. prices $2.00 and $3.25, sale prices..$1.00 and $1.98
Card Cases, reg. prices $2.00 and $2.50, sale price.....75c

Clearance Sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases

PILLOW CASES

One lot Extra Heavy Cotton, 42 and 45x36, worth 12½c. Clearance sale price 8c
750 doz. Pillow Cases, assorted brands of cotton such as "Dwight Anchor," Fruit, Atlantic, etc., size 45x36, worth 17c. Clearance sale price 12½c
400 dozen Pillow Cases, made of extra fine firm cotton, 42, 45 and 50x38½, and tubing cases, 45x40½, worth 22c. Clearance price 15c

SHEETS

One lot 81x90, made of seamless, extra heavy cotton, slightly soiled, worth 50c. Clearance price 35c
One lot Granite State Sheets, large size, three and one inch hems, seamless, worth 63c. Clearance sale price 49c
One lot Extra Quality Harvard Mills Sheets, 81x90, three and one inch hems, worth 75c. Clearance sale price 59c
One lot, made of the celebrated "Dwight Anchor" cotton, size 90x108, worth $1.10. Clearance price 79c
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Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, good, heavy garments, 45c value. Clearance sale price 25c
Men's Heavy Jersey Ribbed Underwear, ecru, blue, brown and silver, in all size garments, made to retail at 50c. Clearance sale price 38c
Men's Extra Heavy Fleeced Underwear, single and double breasted, heavy and warm garments, 45c value. Clearance sale price 29c each
Extra Heavy Fleeced Men's Underwear, single and double breasted, nice warm garments, worth 50c. Clearance sale price.....38c
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Men's Negligе Shirts, made of fine printed cheviots, 45c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Negligе Shirts, odd lots of 45c and 50c shirts. Clearance sale price 25c
Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good new style cheviot, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Natural Wool Underwear, 69c value. Clearance sale price 42c
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Men's Natural and Camel's Hair Wool Underwear, single and double breasted, odd lots, worth from 69c to $1. Clearance sale price 49c
Boys' Extra Heavy Underwear, 50c value. Clearance sale price.. 29c
Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear, good and warm garments, 25c value. Clearance sale price 18c
About 12 dozen Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good white corded madras, 50c value. Clearance sale price..... 25c
Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good fast color cloth, odd lot of 45c quality. Clearance sale price 15c

MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS

Men's Heavy Sweaters, good heavy quality, plain oxford and colored facing; also white; $1.00 value. Clearance sale price..... 79c
Men's Oxford Coat Sweaters, heavy garments, 75c value. Clearance sale price 59c
Boys' Coat Sweaters, plain oxford and colored facing, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c

MEN'S HOSE

Men's Wool and Cashmere Hose, all colors, 25c value. Clearance sale price 19c
Men's Fine Cashmere Hose, black, oxford, brown and natural, 19c value. Clearance sale price 15c
Men's Heavy Cotton Hose, black and tan, 12½c value. Clearance sale price 7½c
Men's Cashmere Hose, seconds of 15c value. Clearance sale price 5c pair
Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas with gold, silver and horn handles, $1.00 value. Clearance sale price 79c
200 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, good covering and fancy handles, 79c value. Clearance sale price.....59c
Men's Police and Fancy Braces, samples of the 35c to 50c values. Clearance sale price .....25c pair
Men's Police and Fancy Braces, 25c value. Clearance sale price 15c pair
Men's Handkerchiefs, 5c value. Clearance sale price..... 2c
Men's Working Shirts, black sateen and cheviots, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Overalls, made of best Otis checks, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Blue Denim Overalls, well made, worth 50c. Clearance sale price 39c
Men's Rubberized Coats, $5.00 value. Clearance sale price.....$3.00
Men's Pants, made of good wool and worsted cloth, $2.50 value. Clearance sale price $1.89
Men's Pants, made of good, heavy material, worth $2.00. Clearance sale price $1.19

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Boys' Russian Overcoats, made of good fancy wool cloth and red, $2.50 value. Clearance sale price $1.69
Boys' Russian Overcoats, made of extra good material and nicely trimmed, $5.00 value. Clearance sale price.....$3.00
Boys' Reefer Overcoats, made in the newest styles and good wool material in brown, gray and olive, $4.00 value. Clearance sale price $2.50
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Boys' Auto Coats, made of good heavy wool material, $5.00 and $6.00 values. Clearance sale price $3.00
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good dark material and well worth $2.50. Clearance sale price $1.59
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good worsted and wool material, $4.00 value. Clearance sale price $2.50
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of extra good worsted in the very latest colorings, $5.00. Clearance sale price $3.00
20 dozen Boys' Blouses, made of good gingham, cheviot and madras, 25c value. Clearance sale price 15c
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good strong material and tape seams. 75c value. Clearance sale price.....59c

HATS AND CAPS DEPARTMENT

Men's Winter Caps, fur lined, worth 75c to $1.00. Clearance sale price 39c
Men's and Boys' Winter Caps, 25c and 35c value. Clearance sale price 19c
Odd lots of Men's Winter Caps, worth 25c. Clearance sale price 10c
Men's Winter Hats with fur inside band, 75c value. Clearance sale price 29c
Children's Polo Caps, 50c value. Clearance sale price..... 35c
Men's Winter Caps, outside fur band, $1.00 value. Clearance sale price 79c
Men's Soft Hats, black, brown, green and gray, $2.00 value. Clearance sale price $1.19
Men's Derby Hats, all new shapes in black and brown, $2.00 value. Clearance sale price $1.19
Men's Derby Hats, black and brown, $1.50 value. Clearance sale price 89c
Men's Soft Hats, odd lot of the $1.50 and $2.00 quality. Clearance sale price 79c
Men's Soft Hats, odd lots of the $1.00 and $1.50 quality. Clearance sale price 50c
Children's Toque and Stocking Caps, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Children's Tam o' Shanters, 25c value. Clearance sale price..... 10c

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Ricksecker Violet Toilet Water, reg price 75c, sale price..... 50c
Parker's Cream, reg. price 25c, sale price..... 17c
Usa Rose Balm, reg. price 25c, sale price.....10c, 3 for 25c
Tooth Brushes, reg. price 25c, sale price..... 15c
Tooth Brushes, reg. price 15c, sale price.....10c
Rachel White Safety Syringe, reg. price $2.49, sale price.....$1.39
Health Syringe, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$4.25
Fountain Syringes, reg. price $1.25, sale price..... 98c
Brush and Comb Sets, reg. prices $1 and $1.25, sale prices 75c and 89c
Hand Painted Baby Sets (4 pieces), reg. price $2.00, sale price..$1.25
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price $4.50, sale price.....$2.98
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price 50c, sale price..... 39c
Wood Back Round Mirrors, reg. price 89c, sale price..... 59c
Oval White Celluloid Mirrors, reg. price $1.25, sale price..... 89c
Round Mirrors, amber and ebony finish, reg. price $1.50, sale price $1
Pocket Hair Brush and Comb, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....50c

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OVER THE BORDER

N. H. Inmates Shipped From Tewksbury

Inmates of the Massachusetts state almshouse at Tewksbury, if they tell the superintendent they hail from New Hampshire, are supplied with a ticket for this state, but it reads only to the first getting off place over the line, which happens to be Nashua, writes the Nashua correspondent of the Manchester (N. H.) Union. The Tewksbury authorities evidently think that the walking up here at this season is so fine that the convalescing invalids from their hospital prefer that method of locomotion. Such a state of affairs was inferred from the story told by a negro who applied the other night for lodging at the police station. He said that he belonged in Manchester, but on his discharge the Tewksbury officers gave him a ticket only to Nashua. He told the police that all inmates of the institution from New Hampshire are ticketed to Nashua.

George Corbett, who says he belongs in Boston and escaped from Tewksbury, has been in town for three days and appeared to be getting feebler each day. Last night he appeared at the station house suffering from a very bad cold. City Physician P. J. McLaughlin and County Physician C. B. Hammond were called and declared the man was suffering from a pronounced case of grip. He was shipped back to Tewksbury.

GEORGE CASPER DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 31.—George Casper, a member of the exploring party of Sir Henry Stanley on his last trip to Africa, died last night of paralysis. Casper lived in Indianapolis for 25 years. During the last few years of his life he kept a grocery store.

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Black Parina, 44 inches wide, is one of the standbys for general knock-about wear. Also all wool, black chiffon Panama. An all the time favorite—the kind that sheds the dust. Both fabrics are bright, rich blacks. Value $1. Sale 75c

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Manufactured from pure, high grade, double combed yarns, beautiful, rich finish, in this season's most favored weight. All the newest staple colors and black, 50 inches wide. Two qualities on sale today. Value $1.25 to $1.75. Sale ..... $1 and $1.25

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Pure Glycerine, pt.	40c
Rose Water, pt.	45c
Sugar Milk, lb.	20c
Flaxseed Meal, lb.	8c
Jam. Ginger, 1-2 pt.	40c
Rochelle Salts, lb.	40c
Cod Liver Oil, qt.	85c
100 Quinine Capsules	50c
Spirits Camphor, 1-2 pt.	30c
Ext. Witch Hazel, pt.	20c
100 Blaud's Pills	14c
Cream Tartar, lb.	33c
Comp. Licorice Powd., lb.	33c
Paregoric, 1-2 pt.	30c
Sol. Carbolic Acid, pt.	20c
100 2-gr. Quinine Pills	14c
Phosphate Soda	19c
Turpentine, pt.	15c
Spirits Nitre, 1-2 pt.	30c
Boracic Acid, lb.	25c
Wood Alcohol, pt.	20c
Powdered Alum, lb.	10c
Household Ammonia, pt.	10c
Kafeo Powders	20c
Oil Wintergreen, oz.	30c
Flexible Collodion	25c
Colonel Tabs. (100)	25c
Powdered Borax, lb.	11c
Baking Soda, lb	10c
Glycerine Suppos.	25c
Cod Liver Oil, qt.	85c
Chloride Lime, 1 lb.	10c

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We receive fresh shipments each week of FENWAY LIGGETT'S HUYLER'S SCHRAFFT'S LOWNEY'S BAKER'S REPUTATION NECCO And every other good brand.

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$1.25 Adams' Hair Brush	95c
25c Hovey's Tooth Powder	17c
25c Lyon's Tooth Powder	19c
25c Rubifoam	16c
35c Rexall Almond Cream	25c
50c Hinds' Almond Cream	34c
50c Pompeian Cream	33c
$1.25 H. & L. Hair Brush	87c
75c Bath Brush	39c
$1 Rubber Sponge	59c
50c Ascension Violet Cream	35c
25c Sozodont	17c
75c Turkish Bath Towels	50c
75c Harmony Cold Cream	59c
25c Colgate's Dental Cream	21c
25c Cuticura Soap	18c
5c Face Cloths	3 for 10c
15c Palm Olive Soap	9c
50c Imported Bay Rum, pt.	39c
75c Perfume (All odors) oz.	50c

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75c Mellin's Food	55c
$1.00 Alkalol	69c
$1.00 Angier's Emul.	71c
$1.00 Pierce's Fav. Presc.	79c
$1.00 Rexall Sarsaparilla	69c
$1.00 Pinkham's Comp.	67c
$1.00 Rexall Kidney Cure	89c
75c Eskay's Food	55c
75c Glyc. Rock and Rye	65c
$1.00 Greene's Nervura	79c
$1.00 Rexall Petrol. Emul.	69c
50c Ayer's Cherry Pect.	41c
$1.00 Ayer's Sarsaparilla	79c
50c Sloan's Liniment	39c
$1.00 Hay's Hair Health	79c
35c Castoria, Fletcher	25c
$1.00 Russell's Emulsion	79c
50c Arnold's Cough Killer	41c
$1.00 Sulpho-Napthol	79c
50c Dr. Bull's Cough Syr.	41c
60c Bovinine	45c
$1.00 Gray's Glyc. Tonic	79c
$1.00 Maltine Prep.	79c
$1.00 Nerves	69c
$1.25 Pepto-Mangan	79c
$1.00 Coke's Dandruff Cure	66c
50c Hall's Quinine Hair Tonic	39c
$1.00 Malted Milk	75c

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STORM WARNING

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The local weather bureau today issued the following:

Southeast storm warning 9 a. m. High southeast winds shifting to northwest tonight. Storm over Virginia, increasing in intensity and moving rapidly northeastword. Warnings ordered from Delaware Breakwater to Eastport.

DOROTHY DORR

TOOK A CHINAMAN FOR HER HUSBAND

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21.—Miss Dorothy Dorr, 18 years of age, a pretty manicure girl, was married on Dec. 24 to Julien Kawn, who says he is a student in the Harvard law school. Announcement of the marriage was made yesterday morning. Kawn is a Chinaman. After failing to get a license in this city, Kawn and Miss Dorr went to Hartford, where Kawn represented the girl's age as 21 and got the license without any difficulty. They were married at the home of a minister in that city.

Nothing is known about Kawn in this city except that he is a Chinaman and claims to be studying at the Harvard law school. His name does not appear in the Harvard catalog of last year.

The couple are now living together in this city.

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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

John Drew, America's foremost light comedian, will be seen in this city at the Opera House tonight in his latest comedy success, "Inconstant George," the play in which he appeared with such pronounced success at the Empire theatre, New York, when he met with an accident while riding in Central park some weeks ago. This accident necessitated Mr. Drew's temporary withdrawal from the theatre. His appearance at the Opera House will have a certain additional interest, in that it will be his first appearance in this city for several seasons.

"Inconstant George," Mr. Drew's vehicle for the current season, is an adaptation of a French comedy entitled "L'Ane de Buridan," which ran for nearly a year in Paris. It was written by R. de Flers and G. de Caillavet, the authors of "Love Watches," the sentimental comedy in which Billie Burke is now appearing, and of "L'Roi," the brilliant satirical comedy which attained greater success in France than any other play of a like sort produced in the last quarter of a century.

The original French title, the literal translation of which is "Buridan's Donkey," was taken from an old French fable which told of a donkey which was placed between two mangers filled with oats and hay, respectively and which starved to death because it was unable to decide which it preferred. Precisely this same mental fault of indecision marks the conduct of George Bullin, the central character in "Inconstant George." He falls in love on the slightest provocation, with almost every pretty woman he meets, but when it comes to choosing between his numerous "lady loves," he finds that he is "stumped."

It is not until the final moment of the play that he does choose and then the object of his choice is a quaint little country girl, who has told him the truth about himself and who has been so charmingly frank and so ingeniously in love with him, that he finds himself an easy captive to her alluring fascinations.

Heading the admirable company with which Charles Frohman has surrounded Mr. Drew is Miss Mary Boland, who contributes an admirably effective bit of characterization as Michelline, the outspoken country girl, who finds herself head over heels in love with the indecisive George Bullin, and who deliberately sets out to win him. Others in the cast include Miss Adelaide Prince, Miss Desmond Kelley, Miss Jane Laurel, Martin Sabine, Rex MacDougal and Frederick Tiden.

The piece is said to be mounted with that rare good taste which characterizes all the Frohman productions.

RICHARD J. JOSE

Into the Opera House on next Monday and Tuesday comes "Silver Threads," a play of old New England life in four acts, by Martin V. Merle.

The story of the play is founded on the old familiar song of our fathers' "Silver Threads Among the Gold," the memory of which has been kept green and it is incidentally sung during the first act by Richard J. Jose, who will be well remembered from his former connection with minstrels. "The Old Homestead" and in vaudeville.

Mr. Jose has this year, for the first time in his career of nearly a quarter of a century, taken up the legitimate drama as a means to give to the public and his many admirers the familiar ballads and hymns, the singing of which has made him famous.

The ravages of time have had no noticeable effects upon Mr. Jose's phenomenal voice, while the play offers a most consistent, clean theatrical treat, as, judging from any standpoint, it is a splendid piece of playwriting, dealing with New England folks, who are pictured as in everyday life, particular pains having been taken in not having the characters overdrawn.

The heart interest centers about a young girl who has been raised in a quiet country home, and upon arriving at womanhood goes to Boston to have her voice cultivated, and where, through ignorance of the ways and pitfalls of the metropolis, she becomes entangled in its snares.

After a few months of unbounded happiness, followed by months of misery and despair, she returns home, tells her story of wrongdoing, and is turned out by her enraged father.

Ten years elapse, and then the man who was responsible for her wrong appears upon the threshold of the life of a younger sister and is about to succeed in his plans, when the girl who was driven from her home returns as an accomplished opera singer, unrecognized by her relatives, and in a strong dramatic scene denounces the betrayer.

While the scenes are strong and full of heart interest, they do not in the least border upon the melodramatic, and the more serious portions are relieved by a strong vein of bright comedy.

Mr. Jose is seen in a part created especially for his peculiar type and nature, which he portrays in a most natural manner, and in which he has an opportunity to sing his ballads and hymns without inconsistently dragging them into the play and marring the thread of the story.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Plenty of singing and dancing and comedy are in evidence in the bill at Hathaway's theatre this week. There is the pop. song as done by the end man in Shep Camp's "Fly By Night Minstrels," and the eccentric song and obligato dance at Clara Thropp serves it in another spot on the program. Charles Lawlor and his two daughters sing both character and sentimental songs and lend another engaging touch.

Mab, a tiny soubret, and Caspar Weis, also a Lilliputian, commend to audiences their versions of how songs should be given. Wilson brothers, two of them, hold out comedy and one of them yodels well. The three Renards are acrialists of much merit and Robin juggles as of yore. The motion pictures close the bill.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week, with special seats at the matinees for women.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill at the Academy of Music is excellent in every sense of the word, the Castelucci musical trio are certainly experts in their line. Their selections are of the highest order and they play on a great number of instruments very skilfully. Miss Ida Corbett is a very clever comedienne who makes four different changes of costume in her act and she is also a very clever and graceful dancer. The feature picture is a biograph "On the Reef." It tells a story of love and duty. Dan McCaffrey is singing the illustrated songs. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

THEATRE VOYONS

The man or woman who is at all interested in military affairs or desires to be well informed as to the progress our regular army is making should be sure and see the performance at the Theatre Voyons today. It gives many important details of a soldier's life and the training he gets at the big army posts. One of the interesting portions of the picture shows the setting up and operation of wireless stations in the field. There are many drills, reviews and all branches of the service appear in the picture.

CLAN GRANT

WILL PRESENT "TAM O'SHANTER" MONDAY EVENING

The new Scotch musical comedy, Tam O'Shanter, to be given next Monday evening in Associate hall by the Scottish Musical Comedy company will prove as interesting to Americans as to the local Scottish colony, because of the well-known personnel of this distinguished company. It is a remarkably strong combination of singers and actors, the members of which have been before the public in various capacities for years.

Mr. James Gilbert, who plays the title role of Tam O'Shanter, a character admirably suited to his talents, is favorably remembered in Lowell, where he successfully managed a light opera company for a number of seasons. Mr. Gilbert was the leading comedian in the Stetson productions of the Gilbert & Sullivan operas and with the Augustin Daly company. During these later years he has been stage manager for the famed Vincent club and Hasty Pudding club shows in Boston and at Harvard university. He has never assumed a character more congenial than that of Tam O'Shanter.

Mr. John Daniels, the author of the sketches, is recognized as one of the leading tenors in Boston, and is at present tenor soloist at the aristocratic Harvard church, Brookline. He has appeared with nearly all the oratorio societies of New England and was chosen to sing with the Boston Symphony orchestra at its first pension fund concert under Gericke. Mr. Daniels is well known in Boston newspaper circles.

Mr. L. B. Merrill, the landlord, is without a peer among the basses of Boston. He has appeared as soloist with the Handel & Haydn society 12 times and frequently with the famous Cecilia society. He was one of the leading basses of the old "Bostonians."

Mr. Thomas Henderson, who plays and looks the part of Burns, is known to Scottish societies as one of the most pleasing tenors now singing the songs of Scotland.

Tam O'Shanter, based on Burns' poem of the same name, is one of the most delightful and cleverest sketches now on the stage. The scene is laid in the old town of Ayr and pictures an evening in the kitchen of the jolly landlord of the now famous Tam O'Shanter inn,—just such an evening as the poet may have spent in the society of Tam and his cronnie, Souter Johnny. As Burns suggests in his poem, the night is passed with song and story. Many of the favorite songs of Scotland are introduced with now and then a bit of dancing.

In addition to "Tam O' Shanter" the company presents a very humorous skit entitled "Breaking Into Scotch," based on the initial visit of an Englishman to Scotland. In this sketch Gilbert outlauders Lauder.

The local Scotch colony is making preparations for a fine celebration of Burns' birthday with this celebrated company.

STAR THEATRE

Torrelli's circus, consisting of 10 ponies, three dogs and the unridable mule, Bessie, conducted by Prof. Walberti, will be seen at the theatre the remainder of this week. There were 10 local boys who wanted to try and ride Bessie, the mule, Thursday evening, but

AN ACT IN TORELLI'S DOG AND PONY CIRCUS.

Prof. Walberti only allowed four to ride. The four boys, however, furnished nearly 45 minutes of hearty laughter. There are plenty of riders at each show. It is the highest priced act in vaudeville, but the admission remains at five cents and includes a seat.

TO THE HOUSEKEEPERS OF LOWELL AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT LARGE:

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HEADS OF STATES

Regard Conference as a School for Governors

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The majority of the state heads consider the governor's conference as a school for governors rather than as a body to recommend legislation or to take definite action on any of the subjects discussed. This fact was made plain at the concluding session of the conference late yesterday when it was decided that all resolutions calling for a formal expression of opinion by the governors should be left in abeyance. Several governors thought the body should take a definite stand on great public questions. Further the governors showed that it was their purpose to deal with state problems and to leave to the federal government questions which concerned the nation as a whole. This decision was evidenced when a committee appointed to consider a resolution introduced by Governor Eberhart of Minnesota, relative to recommendations to congress concerning jurisdiction of federal and state courts, reported that such jurisdiction belonged to the president of the United States and did not come within the scope of the conference.

WEDDING IS OFF

Green Disappeared on Eve of Day of Ceremony

WESTBORO, Jan. 21.—"Won't need the hack. It's all off."

The foregoing message, signed by Winthrop Green, 20 year old son of Waldo E. Green of South street, this town, officially explains why Miss Marion Shaw, aged 18, also of this town, but whose parents live in Brockton, did not hear her own wedding bells ring Wednesday. It also explains why she waited, not at the church, but ready to go to it. It called off her marriage, which had been planned for Wednesday, but as yet she has not been given any reason why it was called off.

Young Green has disappeared. Where? His friends knoweth not, so they say. And the why of his change of mind, as well as his address, is equally a matter of conjecture. Lurking in the minds of some, however, is a shadow of suspicion that parental objection may have been the germ which begot his sudden and surprising action. It is declared the boy's father did not take kindly to his son's desire to marry and some think he may have convinced him that while the old expression "Two minds with but a single thought" sounds well enough, there yet remains the fact of "two mouths that eat as two." Anyhow, young Green is gone, and while the bride-to-have-been, so far as appearances go, is bearing the shock well, she did have the embarrassing experience of her marriage being abruptly and arbitrarily cancelled.

Green for a year had been employed in the newsroom of H. F. Chamberlain. Miss Shaw came here in September and early made the acquaintance of Green. They were much together, and it was no surprise to their friends when it became known they planned to be married.

Green engaged the services of a minister, employed a hackman and arranged to call on Town Clerk Joseph H. Gates about getting his license. Everything seemed to look rosy to him on Monday. But Tuesday he did not report for work. Then Ernest F. Brown, the hackman, got his note and local gossip got busy.

Green was last seen by an acquaintance on Tuesday, when Chas. L. Leonard met him in Worcester. Leonard says Green was carrying a dress suit case and an overcoat. It is thought here he went to New York, where he has a married sister.

Miss Shaw has given up her position and will return to Brockton, it is stated.

SAGAMORE CLUB

Held Classy Social in Associate Hall

Sagamores were ever princes since the days of old Wannalancit who was a Sagamore himself, likewise an Indian, and the members of the Sagamore club who held their third annual social in Associate hall, last evening were like old Wannalancit. For weeks the glad cry of the Sagamores had been "Going up?" and the public was assured that something fine was to be pulled off at Associate on the 20th. Then when "Lil Artha" Cull who is a Sag (junior branch) was distributing invitations to his many friends every one became aware of the fact that there was to be some class to the affair and hence it was no surprise to see four hundred couples bumping each other in the merry mazes of the dance when the affair got under way last evening while the gallery was crowded with admiring friends who, by reason of bad colds, grip or other deterring features were denied the pleasure of mixing with the dancers.

During the early evening the crowd was so great on the floor that dancing was rather uncomfortable.

There was some class to the dancers, too, and those who couldn't step lively were forced to hug the sides of the hall, for Kittredge's music was the goods and all the real "candy" dancers of the town were whirling around with the Sags. A disappointing feature was the non-appearance on the floor of Billie Sullivan, who was assigned to the check box and had so much money in his jeans that he didn't dare to take a chance on whirling around. There were more pretty girls present than one sees at the general run of social events. The Sags were certainly strong on pretty girl friends.

The decorations were elaborate At the close of the affair it was pronounced one of the most successful events of the season.

The officers of the affair were as follows: General manager, Albert Smith; assistant general manager, John Coughlin; floor director, Thomas Gill; assistant floor director, Eugene Knowlton; chief aids, Edward Draper, William Sullivan, Frank Lincoln; aids, John Loughlin, Arthur Cull, Richard Durkin, John Sheehan, Ralph Chapman, Philip Welch, James Chase, Morton Leane, John Downs, Andrew Goggin, William O'Malley, John Duggan, James Gill, Albert Berry, Thomas Fay; treasurer, Thomas J. Durkin.

ON HONEYMOON

Bridegroom Jailed Soon After Marriage

LINCOLN, N. H., Jan. 21.—Charles F. Krebs, alias Shaffer, had a honeymoon of little over 12 hours, which was rudely interrupted by Chief of Police Carey, who arrested Krebs yesterday on a charge of desertion.

Krebs arrived in town Wednesday from Portland and immediately went to the home of his sweetheart, Josephine Lapointe. Soon after, they were married and had a little reception, attended by a few of their friends. Early yesterday morning Chief Carey went to the Lapointe home and arrested the bridegroom on the charge of desertion from Fort Williams, Portland, Me., where he was a member of the Fifth Coast Artillery. On Dec. 8 he obtained leave and at the expiration of his time failed to report for duty.

The army officials have been looking for him since, and Wednesday night received notice that he had arrived here, whereupon the local police were notified.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF THE CHOIRS OF ST. JOSEPH'S AND ST. JEAN'S CHURCHES

The annual banquet of the choirs of St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches was held in St. Joseph's college hall last evening. Over 100 singers were present and the affair was most enjoyable. Before the banquet whist was enjoyed in the lower hall. Ten handsome prizes were given as souvenirs of the banquet, the lucky winners being Mr. George Labranche, Miss Anna Bourassa, Miss Aline Leclair, Mr. Octave Barabe, Mr. Joseph Eriere, Mr. D. J. Gregoire, Miss Cora Blanchette, Miss Marie Anne Lemerise, Mr. Henry Weilbrenner, Dr. J. E. Nolet and Mr. Napoleon Lozeau; boobies went to Miss Caroline Alexander and Mr. Epiphane Labrie.

Dr. George E. Caisse had general charge of the whist, assisted by Miss Rose Anna Vigeant. Dr. Caisse also presided at the banquet table. The appetizing menu was furnished by Edmond Berger.

Addresses were made by Rev. Frs. Wattelle, Barrette, Ouelette and Gratton, O. M. I. A delightful musical program was rendered, Arthur J. Martel, presiding at the organ.

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL

BY CHILDREN OF MARY OF SACRED HEART CHURCH

An enjoyable social was held by the Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart church, at the school hall in Andrews street last evening with about 150 in attendance. During the evening a good musical program was given, beginning with the singing of the hymn, "Hail Mary" by the entire sodality. The following young women took part in the program: Songs, Mrs. Adelaide A. Muldoon, Misses Marietta Nolan, Margaret McQuillan, Kathleen Jennings, Mary Doyle, Katherine Hickey; piano and violin duet, Misses Alice and Blanche Walsh; piano duet, Misses H. Kirwin and Kathleen McLean; piano solos, Misses Marietta Sullivan Katherine Murningham, Susie Ryan, Frances Parker and Ella Gookin.

Present as guests during the evening were the pastor, Rev. Fr. Smith, and his assistants, Rev. Frs. Barrett, Tighe, and Fletcher, O. M. I.

After the entertainment dancing was enjoyed. During the evening refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the entertainment were the officers and consultors of the society.

TO OBSERVE CENTENNIAL

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 21.—At a meeting of a joint committee on centennial of Manchester from the board of trade and the Manchester Historic association, an organization was effected with former Mayor E. J. Knowlton as chairman and Frank E. Martin as secretary. It was decided to ask the city council for an appropriation for a proper observance of the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of Manchester, which occurs in June.

TO SET PATRICK FREE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—Relatives of Albert T. Patrick, the New York lawyer, who is confined in Sing Sing prison for the murder of Millionaire William Marsh Rice, have secured a promise from Charles F. Jones, Rice's former valet, who has turned up here after having been missing for three years, that he will go back to New York and give evidence which it is believed may open up a way for the release of Patrick.

Several times reported dead, Jones appeared here a few days ago, and instead of going to the home of his parents, went to the house of a friend, whom he told he was tired of being chased around the world. He declared that he had returned for the purpose of making a clean breast of it and settling the whole affair.

The testimony of Jones at the trial went a long way toward securing Patrick's conviction.

PRESIDENT TAFT

Is Now Head of the State Militia

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The militia of this state, having accepted the provisions of the Dick act of seven years ago in its amended form, today comes under the direct command of the president of the United States. In its present federalized form, all members of the militia may be mustered into the regular army without further enlistment or examination at the call of the president.

The famous Dick bill, originated by Senator Dick of Ohio in 1903, was intended to go into effect two years ago, but at that date more time was asked by some of the states to consider the matter and a delay of two years was granted.

The new law for the federalization of the national guard of the various states was signed by the president May 26, 1908. It was amendatory to the Dick act of five years before and most of its provisions were suggested at the meeting of the National Guard association of the United States in Boston during the fall of 1907.

The bill states that on and after Jan. 21, 1910, "the organization, armament and discipline of the organized militia in the several states and territories and the District of Columbia shall be the same as that of the regular army."

Failure of a militiaman to answer the call of the president lays him liable to court-martial under as rigid rules as those of the regular army. The majority membership of courts-martial, according to the bill, however, for the trial of officers or men of the militia when in the service of the United States shall be composed of militia officers.

NEW MILK LAW

MAY PLACE POWER IN STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Dr. Theobald Smith, the famous bacteriologist, appeared before the legislative committee on public health yesterday in favor of the bill to place the framing of milk regulations with the state board of health.

The bill is presented by Senator W. Prentiss Parker of Roxbury, and it says that the regulations for transportation and handling shall be framed by this central committee.

Bank Commissioner Chapin says that there has been an increase of $35,500,000 in the savings banks deposits in Massachusetts during the past year and that the total amount of deposits is now $797,600,000. It is a record increase.

The annual report of Mr. Chapin also takes up the savings bank insurance and points out that two banks have made a success of it. One is the Whitman Savings bank, which has written 1711 policies, amounting to $593,000, and the other is the People's bank of Brockton, which has written policies numbering 1299 and amounting to $539,000.

Representative Vinson of Dorchester believes that the tax sales now advertised exclusively in the City Record should be published again in the daily papers, as they were before the City Record was created in the Boston charter bill.

He says that the present publication fails to give publicity to those interested in the disposal of estates.

There is war between Chairman Warren of the civil service commission and Col. Sohier of the highway commission over a question that Chairman Warren says concerns the well working of the entire civil service law.

The highway commission has a bill to "protect efficient employes." The story of a rodman having a provisional appointment was told. He could not pass the examination by the civil service, but the highway commission refused to allow his discharge, because they said he was competent.

Col. Sohier declares that the rodman was compelled to answer questions several classes above his grade. But Chairman Warren denies this.

NO MEETING

REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE "PASSED" LAST EVENING

The meeting of the republican city committee scheduled for last evening did not materialize and will be held next Thursday.

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And to the women who are reading this simple statement of fact, we want to say that Parisian Sage works wonders with women's hair. It will turn dull, harsh and faded hair into beautiful, radiant and lustrous hair in a few days, and is the most pleasant and satisfying dressing any woman ever used.

Druggists everywhere and Carter & Sherburne sell Parisian Sage for 50c a large bottle. Mail orders filled by the American makers, Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y., all charges prepaid.

LOST AND FOUND

GRANDMOTHER KNIT MITTEN lost between Middlesex street and post office. Finder will be rewarded for the return of same to Hall's market, Gorham st.

POCKETBOOK LOST containing sum of money, rosary beads and trunk key. Reward for return to St. Patrick's Home, Cross st.

PAIR OF GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES found. Owner can have same by calling at 36 Gardner ave., after 7 o'clock evenings.

LOCKET AND CHAIN lost on the Lakeview avenue car, Jan. 19, between Navy Yard and Merrimack sq. O. H. B. engraved on the front of the locket. Return to 449 Riverside st. Reward.

POCKETBOOK containing large sum of money, lost, either on Gorham or Central sts., Jan. 19. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mrs. Lethiecq, 211 White st.

PAIR OF GENTS' GOLD EYEGLASSES lost on Merrimack st. near Central. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to Mr. McKinley, at Cook, Taylor's, Merrimack st. store.

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BRANCH ST. MARY'S

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Branch St. Mary's of the Artisans, South Lowell, elected its officers Wednesday night, those chosen for office being: Representative to the executive council, Albert Morin; president, Arthur Brin; first vice-president, E. Dumont; second vice president, Alexandre Pelletier; secretary and treasurer, J. Jules Rochette; first marshal, Severe Dumont; second marshal, Joseph A. Plante; censors, Pierre Masse, Sinale Veillette, Arsene Brin.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF FIRM

Lowell, Mass., January 20, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Derby and Morse, consisting of Lucius A. Derby and Charles F. Morse, formerly doing business as electricians and dealers in electrical supplies at 64 Middle street, Lowell, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Lucius A. Derby will continue the business formerly conducted by the firm at 64 Middle street.

LUCIUS A. DERBY,
CHARLES F. MORSE.

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908, I, Emma F. Lyons, of Wellesley, Mass., do hereby give notice that I have made written application to the Lowell Institution for Savings, of Lowell, Mass., for a duplicate deposit book of Account No. 72641, standing in the name of Emma F. Lyons, and which said deposit book is lost or destroyed.

(Signed) EMMA F. LYONS.

Wellesley, Mass., Jan. 19, 1910.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Jan. 20, 1910. The Committee on Public Service will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the recommendation in the tax commissioner's report as relates to the salary of the deputy tax commissioner; the bill to establish the salaries of the judges of the probate court of the County of Middlesex; and the bill to authorize an expenditure for clerical assistance by the clerk of the first district court of Middlesex, at room No. 441, State House, on Friday, Jan. 28, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Geo. H. Newhall, Chairman. Fred W. Ford, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Jan. 20, 1910. The Committee on Public Service will give a hearing to parties interested in the retirement on pensions of probation officers who are veterans of the Civil war; also on petition that employes of the commonwealth be retired in certain cases, at room No. 441, State House, on Tuesday, January 25, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. George H. Newhall, Chairman. Fred W. Ford, Clerk of the Committee.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Samuel Keyser, late of New York, in the State of New York, deceased, testate, and has taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, and appointing William T. Sheppard, of Lowell, their agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers. D. Crawford Clark, William V. S. Thorne, Executors. Address New York City, N. Y.

January 14, 1910.

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OFFICES TO LET in Associate bldg. Light, bright and airy, overlooking Monument square. Rent reasonable. Apply to janitor.

4-ROOM FLAT to let, bath, separate front and back doors. Inquire 625 East Merrimack st.

SUITE OF ROOMS in the Harrington building, 52 Central st., to let. Inquire at The Sun office.

HELP WANTED

GIRL WANTED for the office of a mill near Lawrence st., Lowell. Apply in writing, stating age, capabilities and pay expected. W. M., Sun Office.

PERCHER WANTED for finished worsted goods, also shear tender, loom fixers and dressers, second and section hands. Charles P. Raymond, 204 Washington st., Boston.

TOOL MAKERS, general machinists, lathe and planer hands wanted. Steady work, good wages to competent men. No labor difficulties. Apply to Mr. Holland, 420 Butler Exchange, Providence, R. I.

EXPERIENCED SKEIN WINDERS and learners wanted at once. Shaw Stocking Co.

10 WOMEN CANVASSERS wanted for Lowell and suburban towns. Good proposition to right party. Pay every night. Address W., Sun Office.

FIRST CLASS CABINET MAKER or carpenter wanted at once. Top floor, Donovan bldg.

WOMEN REPRESENTATIVES wanted in this city and vicinity. Address Sales Manager, 7 Water st., Haverhill, Mass.

MAN WANTED for the ice cream business and general work. Apply 65 School st., cor. Pawtucket st.

MEN WANTED to learn barber trade. Only few weeks required. Wages after first month. Steady position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Moler's Barber College, 207 Bowery, New York City.

BARBER WANTED—Apply 77 East Merrimack st.

BUSHELMAN WANTED—Apply Mitchell, the Tailor, 24 Central st.

TWO NIGGERHEAD OPERATORS and three hand puller overs wanted. Lowell Shoe Co., Stackpole st.

WOMAN OR GIRL wanted each town, good pay spare time, copy names for advertisers, cash weekly. Stamp for particulars. Am. Adv. Bureau, Sanbornville, N. H.

SALESMEN WANTED; a few energetic, capable salesmen, in most unique selling features, short, snappy canvass and quick sales; give particulars as to previous experience, references. 55 Donovan Bldg., Lowell, Mass.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WOMAN WOULD LIKE to do kitchen work. Inquire at Miss Miner's, 232 Lakeview ave.

YOUNG MAN, married, with highest references, is looking for a position as a collector or as a salesman to stores for a concern. Braude, 103 Gorham st.

WANTED

YOUNG MAN wishes to live with an intelligent German or Parisian French family. Address N. O., Sun Office.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds wanted. Ranges, drop head sewing machines, refrigerators, roll top desks, book cases, upright pianos, etc. All orders promptly attended to. Send postal, call or telephone to A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 1076-5.

50 SECOND HAND ICE CHESTS and refrigerators wanted. Send postal or call. T. F. Muldoon, 506 Central st.

10, 15, 25 TO 30 CANS OF MILK wanted per day. Inquire 473 Market street.

ALL PERSONS WANTED to buy their coal, coke, mill kindling, slab, hard wood and dry maple for fireplace. W. T. Griffin's, 187 Appleton st. Tel. 663.

FOR SALE

FOR GYMNASIUM—For sale a wooden horizontal bar for gymnasium purposes. Price $3. Mrs. Reade, 571 Lakeview ave.

NICE BAY MARE with colt, 9 mos. old, and stable outfit, buggy, etc., for sale. Apply 512 Pleasant st., Dracut.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTER for sale, total adder, detail strip, perfect condition; cost $165, will sell for $65. 198 Church st.

ONE GOOD BAKER WAGON for sale; also one No. 4 McDowell oven, in good order, all kinds of baking utensils, bowls and boxes, ice chest, ice cream freezer, Packer show cases, counter, work benches and everything that goes with the bakery business. Will sell the whole thing for $300, and let the building that is 44x24, all fitted with gas, for $8 a month. Inquire 93 Boynton st.

BEAGLE HOUND, bitch and pups, for sale. Can be seen at 75 Fourth avenue, after 6 p. m.

Collections

We Do Your Work for Nothing

Unless we get your money for you; wages, rents and claims of every description collected. Send us a few accounts for trial. Call or write.

State Mercantile Agency

Room 421, Wyman's Exchange, Cor. Merrimack and Central sts. Phone 271-2.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	8.14	7.18
a6.27	7.41	7.08	8.55
b6.44	7.58	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.89
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.36
7.29	8.05	b10.21	11.24
a7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.58
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.37
8.56	9.55	2.00	3.04
b9.07	10.16	3.00	3.37
9.38	10.24	b3.51	5.02
10.45	11.40	4.00	4.37
11.58	12.20	a4.14	5.30
12.12	1.00	5.00	5.37
1.46	2.80	b5.21	6.23
2.41	3.33	5.38	6.38
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.28	5.30	a5.14	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.08
b6.10	7.19	8.30	9.03
6.28	7.30	10.30	11.34
7.36	8.20	11.17	11.55
9.50	10.30	11.20	12.16

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	8.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.36
7.55	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.37
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.30	11.53	7.30	8.08
2.25	5.19	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.52
7.36	8.20	10.29	11.36

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.45	7.55	x7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.00	8.52
9.50	10.50	9.24	10.39
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
x1.30	2.36	2.14	3.20
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.20	5.34	4.50	5.56
5.08	6.08	6.03	7.05
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.35	9.35	10.33
		x11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
x Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printery, Tobin's.

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 5, at the Central Savings bank.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Clark Langley and daughter, and Mrs. Allie Batchelder of Lowell, attended the funeral of Mrs. Olive Merrill, in Manchester, N. H., yesterday.

Miss Blanche Vining of Eighth avenue will spend the next six months in California with relatives. On her return home she will visit friends in Minnesota.

William F. Kelliher, Lawrence's newly elected city treasurer, was a visitor at Mayor Meehan's office yesterday. Mr. Kelliher served with Mayor Meehan in the legislature. Mr. Kelliher is also a former chairman of the board of aldermen of Lawrence.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Jan 21—Carmick Kiernan, 19, laborer, rear 152 Lakeview avenue, and Victoria M. Wells, 19, operative, 23 Marshall street.

CHURCH MEETING

The annual meeting of the Westminster Presbyterian church was held last night in the vestry. The pastor, Rev. S. A. Jackson, was moderator. The reports of officers of the church and the various departments of church work indicated a progressive year. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Members of the standing committee for three years, A. W. McDonald and C. M. Blackie; financial secretary, A. W. McDonald; treasurer, C. M. Blackie; clerk, H. C. Walker; ushers, Alex Stewart and Vernon R. Walker, with Robert Campbell, Jr. and Douglas McKinley as assistants.

Lowell Opera House
Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Mgr.

TONIGHT
Charles Frohman Presents
JOHN DREW
In His Greatest Comedy Success
Inconstant George
By the authors of "Love Watches." Direct from Empire Theatre, New York, with original company and production.
Prices: $1.50, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Seats on sale.

MONDAY & TUESDAY, JAN. 24-25
Richard J. Jose
America's Greatest Contra Tenor
In a Sweet Wholesome Play of New England Life.
SILVER THREADS
Prices: Orch., $1, 75c, 50c. Bal., 50c, 35c. Gal., 25. Seats on sale.

Burns' Anniversary
UNDER AUSPICES
CLAN GRANT, NO. 141, O. S. C.
TO BE HELD
Associate Hall, Monday Evening, January 24, 1910
—BY—
The Scottish Musical Comedy Co.
Of Boston in the Musical Sketches
"TAM O' SHANTER" and "BREAKING INTO SCOTCH"
Kittredge's Orchestra. Tickets 50c, Reserved Seats $1.00.

Hathaway Theatre
Every Afternoon Week Jan. 17 Every Evening
SHEP CAMP and his FLY-BY-NIGHT MINSTRELS
MABB AND WEIS
CLARA THROPP
WILSON BROTHERS
KOBIN
RENARD TRIO
HATHASCOPE
CHAS. P. LAWLOR and Daughters
Ladies' Bargain Matinee Every Day
Pianos from M. Steinert & Sons

Florida Oranges, Grapefruits, Tangerines Are Now at Their Best.
Get Them at
KILLPARTRICK'S
Merrimack Square.

THE WINCHESTER
America's Greatest Heater. Handled in Lowell Exclusively by
WELCH BROS., 63-65 Middle Street
Steamfitters and Plumbers
Tel. 872 or 873. If one is busy call other

COMMITTED SUICIDE

After He Had Attacked and Shot a Jeweler

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Frederick Boettcher, a Brooklyn jeweler, was sandbagged and fatally shot in his store late yesterday by an unknown man, who ended his life by taking a capsule of carbolic acid before he could be locked up.

Boettcher identified his assailant as a man who came to his store not long ago and looked at some diamond rings. It was on this plea that the stranger entered yesterday, presumably with the intent of robbery.

When the jeweler started to come from behind the counter the stranger pulled a chamois bag, filled with sand and shot, from his coat pocket and struck him a crushing blow on the head.

The blow broke the bag and the shot scattered over the floor. As Boettcher reeled the man fired a shot at him, which took effect behind the jeweler's left ear.

The shot brought Mrs. Boettcher from her apartments above the store and the man fled, leaving one revolver in the store and throwing another away as he ran along the street. Hard pressed by the police, who had been attracted by Mrs. Boettcher's screams, the would-be robber was seen to raise his hand to his lips and swallow hastily.

In a moment more he was under arrest and though apparently suffering he walked back with the officers to the store, where Boettcher identified him as his assailant.

Still unaware that he had taken poison, although suspecting that he had carbolic acid about his clothes because of the odor, the prisoner was taken to a police station and preparations were begun to search him.

Here he collapsed and died before medical assistance could be summoned. Examination by a surgeon later showed beyond doubt that he had swallowed carbolic acid in capsule form.

He died without uttering a word. Examination showed him to be particularly well dressed and apparently 30 years old. A gold scarf fastener bore the initials "V. W. V.," and in the waistcoat was found a handsome gold watch. The clothing bore the stamp of well-known New York dealers. There were no papers to indicate his identity.

The police are inclined to think there is some similarity between the man and the descriptions of the man who shot down two boys in Harlem recently, and to clear this up photographs of the body were taken, together with finger prints and other police measurements.

The suicide's foolhardy attempt at robbery was a complete failure.

THE SMART CLOTHES SHOP
D. S. O'Brien Co.
222 MERRIMACK STREET
A SIGN OF GOOD CLOTHES

BIG VALUES
—FOR—
BIG MEN
In the January Sale

It's lucky to be big—sometimes.

Because the big men in this section haven't bought as freely at the Smart Clothes Shop as we expected and provided for, we've got lots of big suits and overcoats left.

This ad. is specially for big men—men of stout proportions from 40 breast upward.

For these men we have almost unbroken ranges of sizes left in regular length overcoats—also a good selection in sack suits—both blacks and fancies.

As a rule, when a price concession is made on garments for men of unusual build, there's something queer about the style or the cut. The garments for big men at this shop are all new—from Stein-Bloch and other good makers—and they carry the same price reductions as the regular sizes.

Big values for big men will be found in these lines:—

At $11.50

Overcoats of black kersey and oxford melton. Suits of black undressed worsted, fancy worsted and fancy cassimere. Reduced from $15.

At $15.00

Overcoats of heavy weight, black kersey. Suits of black Thibet and fancy worsted. Made by Stein-Bloch. Reduced from $20,

At $20.00

Overcoats of black kersey or vienna from Stein-Bloch. Suits of black undressed worsted, or dark fancy worsted from same makers. Reduced from $25.

—ALSO—

At $3.75—All Worsted Trousers that were $5.
At $3.75—Blanket Bath Robes that were $5.

GOLF JACKETS
MARKED DOWN

Our $3 All Worsted Jackets reduced to.....$2.35
Our $4 Shaker Jackets reduced to.....$3.25
Our $5 Heavy Worsted Jackets reduced to.....$3.75
Our $6 Extra Heavy Shaker Jackets reduced to....$5.00
All sizes from 34 to 46.

THE UNIONISTS

Make More Gains in the Election

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Twenty-five returns made this morning out of the 35 left over from yesterday's elections for members of parliament give the unionists 13 seats, the liberals 10, laborites 1 and Irish nationalists 1; a unionist gain of six seats without any losses.

The state of the parties at 1.30 p. m. today was:

Government coalition:
Liberals, 145; Irish nationalists, 54; laborites 30.
Opposition:
Unionists 176.

JAPAN DECLINES

To Accept United States Proposals

TOKIO, Jan. 21.—The reply of the Japanese government to the United States proposal for the neutralization of the Manchurian railroads was handed to American Ambassador O'Brien this afternoon. It is a polite declination.

RUSSIA'S REPLY

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 21.—Russia's reply to Secretary Knox's note proposing the neutralization of the Manchurian railways was delivered to American Ambassador Rockhill today.

It has been understood generally that Japan and Russia would take identical action on the American proposal.

HE TOOK POISON

Martin Costello is Likely to Die

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 21.—A too liberal portion of paris green, taken with suicidal intent, prevented the immediate execution of his purpose and Martin J. Costello, aged 40, lay in a hospital today in a precarious condition. The chances were very much against his recovery. Costello has served a term in state prison for attempting to kill a policeman.

MAYOR GAYNOR

DETERMINED TO PUT STOP TO POLICEMEN'S BRUTALITY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mayor Gaynor's campaign against police brutality entered upon active hostilities yesterday, when one policeman was dismissed from the force, two others were suspended and four were ordered to trial on charges of violence and drunkenness. The mayor heard the cases in person and transmitted his recommendations to the commissioner of police.

There is much restlessness among the men, who fear that a big shakeup in the force is under way. The mayor is understood to be particularly determined that the practice of beating prisoners in the station houses must stop, and he is considering an order doing away with night sticks altogether.

LES ARTISANS

ELECTED NEW OFFICERS LAST EVENING

Branch St. Andre of Les Artisans Canadiens-Francais elected the following officers last night for the coming year: Representative to the executive council, Dr. A. G. Payette; president, Origene Descoteaux; first vice president, Henri Hamilton; 2d vice pres., Ferdinand Theriault; recording secretary, Venant W. Donais; first marshal, Arthur Dupont; second marshal, Chas. Normandin; auditors, Jos. Dion, William Brautigan, Hormidas Ducharme; ballot officers, Dr. L. V. Rochette, H. Paris, Louis Beauchesne.

The chaplain of the branch is Rev. Fr. Wattelle, O. M. I. The installation of the chaplain and other officers will take place Feb. 3.

GONE TO EAST AFRICA

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, accompanied by their son and daughter, Prince Arthur and Princess Patricia, left this city today on a shooting expedition in East Africa. They will make their headquarters at Nairobi and will cover much of the ground over which Col. Roosevelt hunted.

Overcoat Week at "Talbot's"
Another Revision of Prices
"Downward"
More Small Lots and Odd Garments Find Their Way to the Bargain Tables

YOUR SIZE IS HERE On Some Style. It's Great Value as Priced Today.

$15.00 Some of our finest Overcoats put into this lot. Many of them from "Hart, Schaffner & Marx." Black Kersey and Fancy Coatings, with the roll collar or the military cut that sold this season at $20, $22, $25.
(All new coats and our best sellers.)

$12.50 For Overcoats that sold at $16.50, $18 and $20. Military or regular cut coats in Black Kersey and Fancies in a variety of nobby colors and models.
(Small lots and odd coats in all sizes.)

$7.75 A lot of good Coats at a very low price. Oxford Gray and Fancies in men's and young men's models that sold at $10, $12 and $15.
(Some great values in this lot.)

BOYS' OVERCOATS AT TWO PRICES
FOR SATURDAY

$4.00
80 Boys' Overcoats in the military collar style, the Reefer and the Russian. All sizes in the lot, 3 to 16 years, in a big variety of fine Coats that sold for $5, $6, $7, $8. Priced for Saturday..... $4

$2.00
60 Boys' Overcoats in the long Coat, the three-quarter length and the Russian. All sizes in the lot from 3 to 16 years, that sold at $4, $5, $6. Priced for Saturday..... $2

Hat Specials Three dozen of the new Plush Hats. The latest young men's fad and a big seller at $2.00. On sale here at..... $1.50

The TALBOT Clothing Company
The Store That's Light As Day
AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, CENTRAL ST., COR. OF WARREN.

A BOY BURGLAR

Was Caught in House in Newton

NEWTON, Jan. 21.—James H. Geagan, a boy of 12, was arrested last night in the residence of Mrs. David Farquar, 136 Woodland road, Auburndale, after he had effected an entrance while Policeman Richard Goode lay concealed within.

Geagan is already held under bonds for a further hearing on a warrant charging the forging and uttering of two worthless checks.

For several nights past Mrs. Farquar has been missing small articles from her residence. She complained to the police and Goode was assigned to the case.

Three nights in succession he has waited for another visit of the burglar, while Mrs. Farquar has been on a visit out of town. Last night he heard a noise at the door and heard a sound like that of a key turning the lock.

A moment later young Geagan stood in the hallway and Goode seized his prisoner, who made no resistance. The youngster was taken to the police headquarters at West Newton, where he was held for arraignment this morning on the charge of breaking and entering.

Early in November, Geagan, with another boy, was arrested, charged with forging and passing two worthless checks for small amounts on a West Newton coal company. His case has been several times continued and still awaits final disposition.

Geagan is the son of Patrick Geagan, a coachman, residing at 74 Grove street, Auburndale.

TRYING TO END STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Counter-propositions looking toward the ending of the shirtwaist makers' strike in this city, were made last night by both the operators and the manufacturers. The operators asked that the issues be submitted to a board of arbitration. The manufacturers stated their willingness to submit the points at issue to a board as proposed by the strikers but stipulate that they will continue to maintain "open shops" and only take back as many of their former employes as they need.

By J. E. CONANT & CO. Auctioneers
OFFICE, LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS.

The Meriden Woolen Company to be liquidated. The plant and much stock at Meriden, Connecticut, to be dispersed. Pledged to absolute sale.

THE REAL ESTATE

by common repute, is one of the best manufacturing properties in the State, and will be sold in one lot—possesses its own long spur track and independent water supply.

THE MACHINERY

and mechanical equipment as a whole is good—part modern, another part new—to be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

THE STOCK

and yarns, which are very desirable, are in great quantity and attractively divided into lots. Meriden has a great many widely known high-class diversified manufacturing industries and unlimited skilled and unskilled labor—is the centre for the manufacture of silverware in the U. S.—is on both the "Springfield Line" and the Hartford Line," New York to Boston. The sale will take place upon the premises regardless of any condition of the weather Thursday, the 27th day of January, 1910, promptly at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon. Illustrated and descriptive catalogue in detail upon application at the office of the Auctioneers, where all inquiries must be made.

STAR THEATRE
Admission 5c Seats Free
Torrelli's Circus
10 Ponies—3 Dogs—Bessie, the Unridable Mule

THE WEATHER

Rain tonight; Saturday fair. Colder late tonight and Saturday; moderate easterly winds increasing and becoming northerly and westerly.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 LOWELL MASS. FRIDAY JANUARY 21 1910 PRICE ONE CENT

EXTRA

HE PAID $1,500

Because "Black Hand" Threatened to Kidnap His Child

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 21.— A threat to kidnap one of his ten children induced Fabiano Chincola, a fruit dealer of Cincannati, to give up $1500, according to his testimony in the trial of the 14 alleged blackhand conspirators here today. Chincola said that the payment was made in a room over the saloon of Francesco Spedara in Cincinnati, Oct. 18, 1908, Spedara and Salvatore Arrigo, whom he knew, receiving the money.

Francesco Canat of Cincinnati said that he went to Pittsburg and paid $400 to some man whom he could not identify. Ignazo and Augustine Anarino of Columbus testified that they fled to Sicily after dynamite was exploded.

JACK JOHNSON

Held in $1,000 on Assault Charge

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Ten years ago Johnson and I used to drink beer out of a rusty pail together, but since then Johnson has got money and put on airs," declared Norman Pinder, a diminutive negro in court today in testifying against Jack Johnson, the negor heavy weight champion, arrested last night for an alleged assault on Pinder in a cafe. The trouble occurred, Pinder claimed, because nobody offered to order a bottle of wine for Johnson when everybody else was drinking a decidedly less expensive beverage. Pinder accused Johnson of striking him in the jaw and then kicking him while down. Johnson did not testify and was held in $1000 bail for examination tomorrow, the complainant asking time to bring witnesses.

KILLED HIMSELF

Young Man Blew His Brains Out

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The police today are trying to learn why a young man, who had taken care to destroy anything by which he might be identified, went to the vestibule of the house conducted by Mrs. Katherine Klein recently from Pittsburg to blow his brains out with a revolver. The suicide's clothing bore the label of a Pittsburg firm. Mrs. Klein insists that she does not know the man. Visiting Mrs. Klein is a young woman also from Pittsburg. She is now in Atlantic City but Mrs. Klein says she had no callers and did not know the suicide.

MEAT STRIKE

HAS BEEN ORGANIZED IN PITTSBURG

PITTSBURG, Jan. 21.—A meat strike along lines similar to that in Cleveland, Ohio, where the movement originated, has been organized in Greater Pittsburg.

Today street car employes by the hundreds are signing pledges to abstain from meat for thirty days, beginning next Tuesday, while thousands of affiliated members of the Iron City trades council are awaiting word from their leaders before putting into effect a meat boycott resolution adopted by the council last night.

CARS ARE RUNNING

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Although more than 5000 motormen and conductors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. voted last Tuesday in favor of a strike, the men are still at their posts today and the lines of the company are running on their usual schedules.

STREET RAILWAY CONSOLIDATION

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Another effort will be made in the legislature to consolidate all the street railway lines west of the Connecticut river in this state under the control of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad through a bill introduced today by Rep. Titus of Tyringham. Mr. Titus presented a similar measure last year but it failed to obtain approval.

PRIVATE CLAIMS BILLS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Private claims bills occupied the attention of the house during a large part of today's session, the private calendar being taken up as soon as the body met.

CHANLER WINS CASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Former Lieut. Gov. Chanler will not have to pay Wm. F. Clark the $20,000 the latter claimed for services in acting as "publicity agent," and calling attention in the press and elsewhere to Mr. Chanler's claims for consideration as a democratic presidential candidate in 1908. The jury in Clark's suit, which has been on trial here for several days after an hour's discussion returned a verdict for the defendant.

HERD OF DEER

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—A herd of six deer rambled to within four miles of the business portion of the city today. They were seen feeding on the grass in one of the West Roxbury cemeteries.

ATTORNEY SHOT

He Was Attacked By Insurance Agent

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21.—Howard C. Webb, an attorney of prominence here, was shot in the stomach by Walter K. Newport, an insurance agent, this noon during an argument between the men. Of three bullets fired only one hit Mr. Webb, that penetrating the body but probably not breaking through the walls of the stomach or the thorax. Webb overpowered Newport and held him until an officer came. Newport at the Central station is said to have admitted the shooting. He had two revolvers in his pocket. Mr. Webb's wound is not thought to be serious. Mr. Webb stated that Newport called at the office and made some inquiries about certain papers and the shooting followed.

Newport was recently sued for divorce by his wife and Mr. Webb was of counsel in the case. The wife got the decree.

STORES TO CLOSE

During Funeral of Chas. Mitchell Tomorrow

The funeral of the late Charles A. Mitchell, president and treasurer of the Bon Marche Dry Goods company, will take place tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock from his home, 35 Varney street. The store will be closed all day and at 11 o'clock in the forenoon the employes will meet and proceed in a body to the house of mourning to view the remains. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Gregg of the Kirk Street church, and the bearers will be members of Kilwinning lodge of Masons. The burial will take place in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery, and will be private. Mr. Sam Thompson will have charge of the fuperal arrangements.

Out of respect for the deceased, the Lowell Merchants association today voted unanimously to close their stores during the funeral tomorrow afternoon, but the popularity of the deceased extended beyond the association, and there will be a general closing of all places of business during the hour of the funeral.

HELD SLEIGHRIDE

NINTH GRADE OF GREENHALGE SCHOOL HELD OUTING

The ninth grade of the Greenhalge school held a delightful sleighride party yesterday afternoon and evening. Principal Wood and Miss Tobin had charge of the party and spared no pains to make them happy. A fine supper was served at the old Spalding House. The officers of the class are: Frank McCann, president; Thomas Booth, vice president; Minnie Tucker, secretary and Helen Thessian, treasurer.

ERIE ROAD REJECTS DEMANDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The Erie railroad this afternoon formally rejected the demands of their trainmen and conductors for increased wages. The rejection followed a friendly conference of the road's officials and a committee of employes.

Forty-one railroads, mostly subsidiary roads of the big trunk lines east of the Mississippi have yet to act on the demands of their men but by an understood arrangement they will reject them. Conferences will follow the rejections.

SCHOONER ASHORE

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Jan. 21.—An unknown fishing schooner went ashore on Long Point, a few miles to the eastward of the entrance to the harbor, during a thick fog early today. A heavy sea was running and within a short time one of her masts was rolled out. The Wallis Sands and the Wood Island lifesaving crews and the tug M. Mitchell Davis went out and made an effort to float her. The vessel lies in an exposed position and the chances of saving her seemed rather slim at 10 a. m.

TURKEY SUPPER

John Vlahos, the well known wholesale and retail fruit dealer, gave his employes a turkey supper last night. After the supper a musical and literary program was carried out.

CITY HALL NEWS

Health Dept. Employes Want Increase in Pay

Teamsters and common laborers of the health department will appear before the board of health this afternoon and ask for an increase in pay. At the present time the teamsters are receiving $2 a day and the common laborers $1.80. The street department teamsters receive $2 a day, based on 20 cents an hour for ten hours, and the street laborers receive $1.75 a day.

The health department teamsters claim that they are entitled to more pay than the street department teamsters because the latter don't have anything to do except to sit on their seats and hold the reins, while the health department teamsters have to empty the barrels and boxes that are passed up to them by the laborers.

It is not known if the American Hide & Leather company will be heard from at the board of health meeting today. The company has put it up to the board to go either to Toledo, Ohio, or Denver, Colo., to inspect a sanitary beam house such as the company would build in this city and it is very possible that the board or one or more of its members may make the trip. If this tour of inspection is made the matter of a new beam house would be at a standstill until such time as the investigating committee would report.

Included in the matters to be considered by the board this afternoon will be the payment in part, of the board of a young woman who is being treated at Rutland, Mass. The matter came before the board at its last meeting and while the board looked upon it as a worthy case the members thought it would be best to communicate with the authorities at Rutland before taking definite action.

The Mayor Indisposed

Mayor Meehan was not at his office this forenoon. The mayor is indisposed. He has been suffering from a cold for the last week or two and today he was obliged to remain at home.

The Water Supply

Despite the fact that we have had more or less rain the water supply is not very bountiful. There is water enough and to spare but the supply is far below what it has been in other years at this time. The rain that has fallen since the ground froze has been carried off to the rivers, lakes and ponds, and cities that take their supply from any of these places find a good supply at the present time. Lowell's supply comes from the ground and there isn't much water finding its way there at the present time. When the frost starts, however, the ground will take a great long drink. All of the new wells installed by the water department last summer are being used at the present time.

Grade Crossing Business

City Engineer Bowers said today that the grade crossing business in Lowell was moving right along and it is expected that the work of abolishing them will be begun in the very early spring. City Solicitor Duncan went to Boston today to attend a hearing before the railroad commissioners relative to the lowering of the grade of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad in Plain and Lincoln streets. In order to change the grade of a railroad it is necessary that the railroad commissioners should assent to it. In order to make the Plain street crossing a decent one it will be necessary to lower the tracks there about six feet and about 3 1-2 at Lincoln street. The railroads represented at the hearing today were the Boston & Maine, N. Y., N. H. & H., Old Colony and Lowell and Andover.

State Aid Examinations

The examinations of recipients of state and military aid in this city, which were begun by State Aid Agent Stone on Monday, was completed last night after Mr. Stone had visited at the homes of those of the recipients of aid who were too ill or feeble to come to city hall.

Evening School Teachers

The number of evening school teachers in Lowell grows "beautifully less." No less than ten teachers have been released within the last few days. Small attendance is responsible for the release of the teachers. In the case of one teacher, who was released, a number of the children waited upon her at her home and begged her to return to the school. They had joined another class and they didn't like the teacher one bit. They wanted their "own" teacher to go back. They felt pretty badly about it when they found they were asking an impossibility.

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DIV. 1, A. O. H.

WILL OBSERVE 41st ANNIVERSARY ON FEB. 3

A well attended meeting of Division 1, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall. Five candidates were initiated and five propositions were received. During the course of the evening remarks were made by Brothers O'Hare, Brick and McMullen. Brother O'Hare, chairman of the committee appointed to attend the St. Patrick's day convention, submitted a report which was accepted.

At the conclusion of the business meeting the bazaar committee entertained about 100 young ladies who are connected with the tables at the coming event. A social time was enjoyed. Brother Daniel Hogan, chairman of the committee, and Brother John O'Loughlin, secretary, addressed the ladies.

Div. 1 will observe the 41st anniversary of its organization on February 3.

CREW MISSING

OVERTURNED SCHOONER FOUND BY REVENUE CUTTER

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 21.—The three masted derelict schooner, found yesterday by the United States revenue cutter Androscoggin floating bottom upwards 150 miles east of Cape Hatteras, is believed to be the missing schooner Edgar C. Ross of Seaford, Del., Captain Reuben Quillen of Bethel, Del., master, which sailed from Charleston, S. C., Dec. 22, lumber laden for New York. The vessel carried a crew of nine men, Captain Richard Bailey of Riverton, Md., having been first mate. The Ross is believed to have been lost in the Christmas storm. The overturned vessel now being towed into Hampton Roads by the Androscoggin answers the description of the Ross. When found the derelict was alive with sharks, with one of them eating what appeared to be the torso of a man.

Sweeten Sweeping Day Turmoil

The hard work of a whole day of cleaning house is unnecessary. Clean one room each day by vacuum. You stir no dust to settle in other parts of the house. Avoid the turmoil, save your strength. Use an electric vacuum cleaner.

The Lowell Electric Light Corporation

50 Central St.

The Stores OF THE Lowell Merchants Association

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From 2 to 3 O'Clock

During the funeral services of the late CHAS. A. MITCHELL of The Bon Marche Dry Goods company.

LOWELL MERCHANTS ASSO., Fred C. Garratt, President. Arthur A. Spero, Secretary

THE O. M. I. CADETS

To Hold Important Meeting This Evening

The O. M. I. Cadets will hold an important meeting in their armory, Immaculate Conception school hall, this evening at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Sullivan desires that every member of the regiment, ambulance corps, buglers and field service men be present, as business of an important nature will be transacted.

PRES. HUNTINGTON

OF BOSTON UNIVERSITY IS TO RESIGN

President William E. Huntington of Boston university has decided to resign from the presidency of that institution, and has already notified the trustees to this effect.

He has not presented his written resignation, but will probably do so after the trustees have considered his request.

This unexpected action on the part of Dr. Huntington was somewhat of a surprise to the students of the university, as during the past seven years which he has been at the helm of the college which has made rapid strides ahead his associations with the students have made him a strong favorite.

FUNERAL NOTICES

FOY—The funeral of the late Mary Foy will take place at eight o'clock Saturday morning from the home of her sister, Mrs. John Magee, 359 Lawrence street. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at nine o'clock. The funeral will be under the direction of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

POWERS—William J. Powers, infant child of Nicholas and Sophia Powers, aged 1 month and two weeks, died last evening at 154 Concord street. The body was removed to the home of the parents, 4 Madison place, off Madison street. The funeral will take place from the parents' residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Undertaker John F. Rogers in charge.

CALLAHAN—The funeral of Michael Callahan will take place tomorrow morning at 8.30 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Catherine Reynolds, 95 Andover street, and proceed to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem will be sung. Burial will be in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

FUNERALS

INGALLS—The funeral of Blanche M. Ingalls took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 5 Hazel square, off Coburn street. Services were conducted by Rev. George F. Kenngott. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young.

McGROGAN—The funeral of Joseph McGrogan, infant son of Hugh and Mary McGrogan, who died Wednesday night, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of the parents, 36 Willie street, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Davey.

NEEDLESS ALARM

An alarm from box 32 at eight o'clock last night gave a portion of the fire department a needless run to 714 Bridge street where there was a boiler smoking. A passerby noticing the smoke pouring through the cellar windows thought there was a fire in progress and running across the street pulled in the alarm. The building is owned by Helen A. Coon.

DEATHS

O'BRIEN—Frank L. O'Brien, aged 42 years, died today at his home, 76 Fourth avenue. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Annie, seven children, a mother, three brothers, Daniel S. O'Brien, the well known clothing dealer; Patrick J. and Joseph A. O'Brien and three sisters, Mrs. Charles Ineson, Miss Agnes O'Brien and Miss Nellie O'Brien. Friends requested not to send flowers.

MANNING—Mrs. Mary Manning, aged 37 years, died this morning at her home, 46 Cross street. She is survived by a husband, John; four children, Catherine, John, Annie, Helen and Michael; a brother, Daniel Looney of Ireland, and a sister, Johanna Looney of this city. She was a member of the ladies' sodality of St. Patrick's church and had been a member of the parish for 23 years.

LEE—James Lee, aged 88 years, three months and four days, died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. O. J. Coburn, in Dracut. Deceased is survived by a wife, three sons, John of Leominster, George of Boston and William of Stafford Springs, Conn., and three daughters, Mrs. Coburn of Dracut, Mrs. John Andrews of Stafford Springs, Conn. and Miss Hattie Lee of Dracut.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Gustaf R. Wikander and Miss Tilda Sandstrom were married Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. J. C. Wilson at his home, 528 Chelmsford street. The bride wore green silk voile, and was attended by Mrs. Burton H. Elms. Mr. Elms was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Wikander, after an extended wedding trip, will make their home at 109 Liberty street, this city.

WALKER—CAMPBELL

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, formerly of this city, and daughter of the late George Campbell, who lived at 182 Middlesex street, was married, on Jan. 14, to Mr. Howard Walker of Denver, Colo. Mr. Walker is prominent in Denver's business and social circles. Mr. and Mrs. Walker are spending their honeymoon in New York city. They will make their home at 1118 California street, Denver, Colo.

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DETECTIVES BUSY

Trying to Solve Triple Murder in New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The big force of detectives working to solve the triple murder mystery which developed on the East Side late yesterday continued today on the theory that robbery was the motive for the crime.

The authorities declared themselves convinced that the apartment in which the mutilated bodies of Salvador Scalpone, a prosperous Italian, his young wife and a nurse, Concetta Martine, were discovered, must have been familiar ground to the perpetrators of the crime. But several hours' work on the case today failed to develop any clue to the identity of the criminal, although more than three score friends of the family were rounded up and closely questioned. Considerable sums of money and valuable jewelry were left on the bodies of the victims although three trunks in the apartment had been ransacked. Whether valuables or documents were sought is a question which the authorities were puzzling over today. More than one person was concerned in the commission of the crime, the police believe, and traces of a feminine hand in the search of the apartment and its murdered occupants led to the theory that the criminals had a woman accomplice.

GAS EXPLODED

Caused Fire in Railroad Yard

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Explosion of a gas generating tank started a fire that threatened the destruction of the freight terminal yards of the Erie railroad in Jersey City today. Hard work by the fire fighting forces resulted in the flames being controlled before great damage had been done. Tugs on the river gave material assistance in keeping the blaze from spreading. The buildings destroyed were the railroad's gas plant, ice house, freight office and a big oil storage tank. No one was injured. Loss about $50,000.

COL. ROOSEVELT

Can Have a Place in Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Confirming the story of his readiness to retire from congress in favor of former President Roosevelt, Rep. Cox of New York, who represents the Oyster Bay district, where the Roosevelt home is located, added today that he had informally talked over the subject with Mr. Roosevelt. Rep. Bradley, a colleague from New York, according to Mr. Cox, is likewise willing to give way in the house to Mr. Roosevelt in the event the ex-president should desire to enter congress.

UNKNOWN WOMAN

WAS FOUND IN A SERIOUS CONDITION

BROCKTON, Jan. 21.—An unknown Syrian woman, about 32 years old, was found in a semi-conscious condition in a dilapidated shed on Provost street yesterday afternoon, and was taken to the hospital in a serious condition.

When restored so that she was able to talk, the woman claimed that she had been attacked and bitten about the face and hands by two other women, and an examination of various marks she exhibited has led to the conclusion that her story is true.

She asserted that she had been two days and two nights in the shed without food or water, but was unable to state where the assault occurred or give any particulars which might lead to the identity of her assailants.

Inspector Harris of the police department was put to work on the case but had made little progress last night toward a solution of the mystery surrounding it. The woman when asked her name mumbled something sounding like "Cora," but this was all the surgeons at the hospital were able to get from her regarding her own identity.

In the shed where she was found, the police came upon a "pack" such as peddlers use, and the belief is held here that she belongs in the Syrian colony in Boston.

AGREEMENT APPROVED

PEKIN, Jan. 21.—An imperial rescript is issued approving the preliminary agreement signed at Mukden on Oct. 2 by William D. Straight, the American consul-general, the British consul, and the viceroy of Manchuria, for the construction of the Chinchow-Aiugun railroad in Manchuria with capital provided by a group of American financiers. It was also agreed that the road should be built by the Pauling Co., British constructors.

American engineers and a proportionate share of American materials are to be used. The ultimate cost of the road is estimated at about $40,000,000.

AERONAUTS LANDED SAFELY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21.—Clifford Harmon of New York and George Harrison following the close of the aviation meet last night descended safely from an ascension of 10,500 feet from the balloon New York, a new record for the Pacific coast.

The two aeronauts landed at Hollywood, a seaburg. In the darkness they struck a house and nearly tore off the roof. Neither was hurt.

MAY GET CARNEGIE PRIZES

WHITEHEAD, N. S., Jan. 21.—Because of their bravery in assisting in the rescue of the crew of the fishing schooner Sea Flea, Captain Aldea Munro and William Fitzgerald of the schooner Lottie B will be recommended for Carnegie fund recognition. During the severe storm of two weeks ago, in which the Canso bay fishing fleet of 57 vessels was blown to sea, these two men left their schooner and risked their lives in a dory in which they took off the entire crew of the Sea Flea which was in a sinking condition.

GREAT DAMAGE

Being Done by the Floods in France

PARIS, Jan. 21.— Immense damage is being done by the floods in East and Central France. In this city the newly constructed subway has been flooded and in several places its foundation has been washed out. It is feared that the boulevard St. Germain beneath which the flooded subway extends, will give way. In some sections of the Latin quarter street railroad traffic was suspended today. At many points the people sought refuge in the hills. The Seine has risen 16 feet, sweeping away the merchandise upon the quays. Navigation upon the river has ceased.

MUCH SUFFERING

LYONS, Jan. 21.—The floods have caused great destruction along the river front. Factories have been submerged and boats carried away. There is much suffering along the Rhone.

WITHOUT SHELTER

AUXERRE, France., Jan. 21.—Owing to the flood of the river Yonne, hundreds are without shelter today. The government is forwarding beds and other relief supplies.

CAUSE OF SLEEP

Doped Out by Michigan Experts

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 21.—Experiments at the University of Michigan overturn a long accepted theory as to the cause of sleep. It has been said that natural loss of consciousness is due to a lessened flow of blood to the brain. Prof. R. M. Wenley says his experiments show the opposite. His summary of what has been demonstrated is:

The size or volume of the brain increases when the individual goes to sleep and decreases when he awakes.

The size of the hands and feet increase when the man is asleep and becomes smaller when he is awake.

In some cases the brain becomes smaller at first and then increases as sleep becomes deeper.

Striking evidence is furnished that the size of the arterial pulse from the brain increases steadily with increase in volume, that is, the dilating of the arteries after each beat of the heart is more pronounced. This is particularly true when the subject is propped up.

One of the delicate devices used in experimenting records a "breathing wave" from brain and hands and feet.

Experiments were made on patients with trepanned skulls. Their heads were placed in slings to facilitate observations and measurements were taken with the utmost care.

BOOT AND SHOE INDUSTRY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Exports of boots and shoes from the United States in 1909 were the largest on record, having aggregated 6,750,000 pairs, compared with the previous high record in 1907 of 6,300,600 pairs. Measured by value, however, last year's exports fell slightly below those of 1907. Tropical and sub tropical countries, according to the bureau of statistics offer the largest market for the American boot and shoe trade, fully 35 per cent. of last year's exports having gone to Cuba, eight per cent. to other West Indies and Bermuda points and 7 per cent. to Central America.

FORGERY CHARGED

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The trial of former Town Treasurer J. P. Lombard of Framingham for forgery and Charles S. Cummings of Boston for uttering and larceny in connection with the $325,000 shortage in the accounts of the town, will begin on Monday in the superior court.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Despatches to R. G. Dun & Co. indicate that the business situation reflects steady progress with the outlook for spring trade decidedly promising. More uniformly favorable reports are received from Boston, retail trade being generally brisk, especially in heavy footwear and other seasonable goods while the wholesale markets are more active in several directions. A fair volume of business is noted in drygoods jobbing lines. Woolen mills consecutively employed.

Bank exchanges this week at all leading cities in the United States amounted to $3,686,429,648, a gain of 24.4 per cent. over last year.

BIG PRIZES WON

In the Aviation Meet Held at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 21.—As dusk gathered over the old Dominiguez ranch last night, four flying machines which had been circling in the air descended and the first international aviation meet held in America was finished.

Few knew that while Charles K. Hamilton was returning from a 15 mile flight towards the ocean the crankshaft of his machine snapped a mile from the field and he narrowly escaped death. Hamilton shut off the engine and so leveled and swayed his planes that he came down gently.

Curtiss and Paulhan furnished the excitement of the closing.

Paulhan went up at 3.20 o'clock for an endurance flight. After he had done two or three laps of the course, Curtiss started a 10 lap speed trial, half a lap, or more than three-quarters of a mile behind Paulhan. It was the first real race of the ten days' meet.

The two aeroplanes came over the grandstand with the speed of express trains. Curtiss gained swiftly on Paulhan, and on the third lap he reached Paulhan, flying above him. The Frenchman for a few seconds held even. Then Curtiss in his American machine forged ahead a length and finally half a lap.

It was no race after that. The American machine was the faster beyond question. As Curtiss rushed over Paulhan he received the greatest applause that any of his efforts had gained. Paulhan went on until he had traveled in the air nearly an hour and a half. Curtiss came down after a 30 mile trip.

The Curtiss machines won all the prizes for speed, quick starts, perfect landings and those events where a light, swift machine showed best.

Paulhan won all the cross country, passenger carrying and endurance tests having a heavier, slower machine and an engine which he trusts absolutely. Paulhan took more than $15,000 in prizes and broke the world's records for altitude and cross country flights, alone and with a passenger.

Curtiss broke no world's records and won less than $5000 in prizes.

There was an odd parade yesterday, showing the evolution of travelling. It was headed by old Ezra Meeker of Oregon Trail fame, seated in a prairie schooner drawn by oxen. After him came cowboys, burrows, carriages, automobiles, balloons, dirigibles, and finally the various aerodromes, ending with a multiplane that looked like a wheat harvester. Curtiss and Paulhan walked in the van like bashful schoolboys.

The prizes won during the aviation meet follow:

Height, first $3000, Louis Paulhan, 4165 feet; second, $2000, Charles K. Hamilton, 530.5 feet; third, $500, Glenn H. Curtiss, no official height taken.

Endurance and time, first, $3000, Paulhan, 75.77 miles, 1.58.32; second, $2000, Hamilton, 19.44 miles, 39.09 2-5; third, $500, Curtiss, 16.11 miles, 24.54 2-5.

Speed, 10 laps, first, $3000, Curtiss, 16.11 miles, 23.43 3-5; second, $2000, Paulhan, 16.11 miles, 24.59 2-5; third, Hamilton, 16.11 miles, 30.34 3-5.

Three laps with passenger, first, $1000, Paulhan, 4.83 miles, 8.16 1-5; no others contested.

Slowest lap, first, $500, Hamilton, 1.61 miles, 3.39 2-5.

Quickest start, first, $250, Curtiss, 98 feet.

Starting and landing in square, $250, Charles F. Willard, won; score perfect.

Cross country, $10,000; Paulhan won.

The following are the records for the course also made:

Speed, one lap 2.12, Curtiss.

Shortest time in rising, 6 2-5 seconds, Curtiss.

Dirigibles, one lap, 4.57 4-5, Lincoln Beachey.

LIABLE TO $200 FINE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—The new Hamburg-American steamship Cleveland with 660 passengers from New York is due in this port in a few days and customs officers have asked Washington whether the landing of her passengers here is a violation of the coastwise navigation act. This law prohibits, under $200 fine each, the transportation of passengers between ports of the United States in a foreign vessel. The Cleveland is a foreign vessel and the question is whether her round-the-world cruise from New York to San Francisco brings her within the application of the law.

PEOPLE'S CLUB

The first entertainment, in the annual series at the Women's branch, People's club, was given last night by Professor and Mlle. Wood. Professor Wood is an expert in all tricks of legerdemain, and Mlle. Wood renders able assistance at the piano, besides taking part in several of the most interesting exhibitions of magic. The attendance was large and appreciative. The entertainers were introduced by Hugh F. Gillon.

FOUGHT A DRAW

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Jan. 21.—Paul Koehler, Cleveland, and Joe Getz of Johnstown fought 12 rounds here last night, with honors even. The bout was clean and scientific throughout.

GIRL ARRESTED

SHE WAS ATTIRED IN MAN'S CLOTHES

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A quiet mannered girl of about 19, wearing a man's gray frock suit of good material, a man's gray felt hat, glasses and man's street clothes was arrested in the street last night. She coolly told the detective who arrested her: "My name is Marion Hamilton-Gray, and I have been wearing boys' and men's clothes for the last ten years. Since I began to pose for a man I have learned to smoke cigarets and pipe."

Miss Gray volunteered that her arrest is due to the jealousy of a wealthy woman of Newark Valley, N. Y., who wanted to marry her, she said, in the belief that she was a man.

In the night court the magistrate held that in view of the fact that the woman was not painted or masked, her case presented no violation of the penal code, and she was released on her promise to dress more conventionally in the future.

SOLDIER ESCAPED

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 21.—People living in the section of the city surrounding Fort Porter witnessed a thrilling man hunt last evening. Private Murgittroyd, recently sentenced to imprisonment at Fort Jay for deserting from the Fifth cavalry in Utah, was working under guard in the corral at the fort. At dusk he made a break for liberty. Two guards gave chase, occasionally firing at the fleeing man. The soldier made for the residence section. The guards kept up a running fire until it became dangerous to people on the street. Murgittroyd escaped.

Weak? Tired? Run-down?

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WRIT OF REPLEVIN

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 21.—On information that Raymond Riordan, manager and superintendent of Jubilee college, an Episcopal school, had loaded all the furniture and other property of the school into three cars preparatory to sending it to Laporte, Ind., where he had accepted a position with the Inter-Laken college, Bishop Edward Fawcett of Quincy yesterday caused the issuance of a replevin. The writ was served by the sheriff. Riordan and the three cars of furniture were detained and an investigation will be made by Bishop Fawcett and the trustees of the school today. The bishop declared Riordan is heavily indebted to the college.

NEW DREADNOUGHTS

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 21.—The council of ministers has ratified their recommendation of the naval commission that two dreadnoughts be built by an American company. These battleships will be of 28,000 tons each, with a speed of 22 knots.

JANUARY SALE OF DRUG STORE GOODS

Several times a year, during the different seasons, we select the most seasonable goods, and to stimulate new business, we offer special inducements. Our annual January sale offers many opportunities to the discriminating, careful purchaser. Many prices quoted are in effect during this sale only, and we reserve the right to limit quantities.

OWING TO THE POOR WEATHER THE EARLY PART OF THIS WEEK, WHICH PREVENTED MANY FROM TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED IN THIS SALE, WE WILL EXTEND THE TIME TWO DAYS LONGER. PRICES WILL BE IN EFFECT NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JANUARY 24 AND 25.

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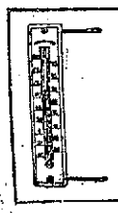

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Made of cork and hair.....13¢
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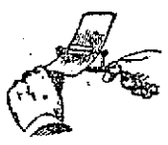

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Tally Ho Playing Cards	25c	19¢
Playing Cards, No. 52, gold edge card	40c	25¢
Congress Gold Edge Cards	50c	40¢
Pocket Flash Lights	75c	49¢
De Miracle Cold Cream	50c	33¢
Pompeian Massage Cream	50c	31¢
Complexin Cream	35c	29¢
Woodbury's Facial Cream	25c	19¢
Milkweed Cream	50c	39¢
Piver's Toilet Soap, all odors	25c	21¢
Felt's Foot Soap	25c	19¢
Williams' Barber's Bar, 6 cakes for		27¢
Woodbury's Soap	25c	19¢
Colgate's Shaving Powder	25c	20¢
Frostilla	25c	17¢
Lyon's Tooth Powder	25c	15¢
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream	50c	35¢
R. & G. Violet Parme Water		85¢
Kolynos Tooth Paste	25c	19¢
Pebeco Tooth Paste	50c	39¢

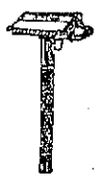
FREE
A 25c cake of Riker's Olivo Pure Castile Soap with each jar of Riker's Violet Cerate, 50¢. This week only.

TOILET SET BOTTLES

An attractive article for the bathroom, handsomely labelled, bottles of uniform size. A great variety of different labels, such as Alcohol, Witch Hazel, Toilet Water, etc. 8-oz. size with glass stopper.....39¢

BATHROOM FIXTURES—Every piece is made of brass with an extra heavy coating of nickel plate. Will never rust. We are considered headquarters for these goods, and are sure that our prices are right, as we have repeatedly supplied various contractors who use these goods in large quantities in fitting up new houses.
Glass Shelf—5x18 inches, complete with nickel bracket and screws, value $1.50, this sale.....97¢
Soap Holders for Bath Tub. Value 75c, this sale.....49¢
Sponge Holders for Bath Tub. Value $1.25, this sale.....89¢
Tooth Brush Holders—Holding from 2 to 6 brushes.....15¢ to 47¢
We have other pieces in great variety, such as Tumbler Holders, Shaving Brush Holders, Shaving Soap Holders, Toilet Paper Holders, Bath Tub Seats, and various combination pieces.

SAFETY RAZORS



We carry all the well-known makes, such as Star, Gem Jr., Ever Ready, Ender, Durham Duplex, Gillette and Auto Strop,
$1.00 to $7.50
We recommend the Auto Strop. It is the only safety razor which strops itself. You are sure of a keen, sharp blade for every shave. Price, complete.....$5.00

WATER BOTTLES

Riker's Featherweight—True to its name, it is the lightest water bottle made. Particularly serviceable on account of its cloth reenforcement, guaranteed for 1 year.
2-qt. size.....$1.19
3-qt. size.....$1.29
Priscilla Water Bottle.....47¢
Jaynes' Chain Hanger Water Bottle—Good quality, guaranteed for 1 year, stopper attached with chain, cannot be lost.
2-qt. size.....89¢
3-qt. size.....94¢
R-J Maroon Water Bottles—Guaranteed 2 years.
2-qt. size.....$1.75
3-qt. size.....$2.00

ENAMELLED IRRIGATORS—Preferred by many in place of the fountain syringe—3-qt. size 85¢. Complete with highest grade, full-length rubber tubing and 2 hard rubber pipes, this sale.....$1.25
REBORN BRACES.....$1.00
TRUFORM BRACE—Especially adapted for ladies, this week.....$1.79
ACCIDENT CASES—Small-size U. S. outfit, 75c value.....47¢
HARD RUBBER NASAL DOUCHE—K. & O. shape.....23¢

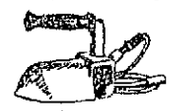
FORCE CUPS

(Little Plumber)
Very easily operated. Will clear clogged-up sink and basins and save many plumber's bills. In three sizes,
25¢, 40¢ and 50¢

ENAMELLED SICK FEEDERS

Perfectly sanitary and more serviceable than the porcelain, 50c value.....29¢
ENAMELLED CUSPIDORS—Light, serviceable, sanitary. Regular office size, $1.00 value.....69¢
BATH CABINETS—For taking steam baths. The best grade of rubber coated cloth on steel frame, complete with heater.....$4.50

Capell "Hotpoint" Gas Iron



Costs only ¼ cent per hour to operate—nothing to get out of order—heats in two minutes ready to use saves labor, time and patience—takes place of three different sizes of irons. On display at any of our stores, 5.00

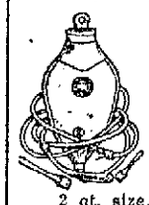
WRIST STRAPS—Made of very good quality flexible leather, lined, 25c value.....17¢

SPECIAL

This week only, 1 Daniels' 2 ft. Outdoor Thermometer, black figures on enameled board, guaranteed accurate within 1 degree variation, and 1 Daniels' Muffler. Full value of each 50c.
Both for 47c

JAYNES' No. 1 MEDICAL BATTERY
This medical apparatus is without question the best outfit of its kind manufactured at the price. It is neat in appearance, compact and reliable.
It is supplied with two nickel plated Hand Electrodes, one Sponge Electrode, one Interchangeable Electrode Handle, one Foot Plate Electrode and one pair of green and red silk covered medical battery cords..... 2.79

FOUNTAIN SYRINGE



Riker's Featherweight. An excellent serviceable syringe, re-enforced by cloth insertion. Guaranteed for 1 year. The price of this syringe has not been affected by the recent advance in rubber.
2 qt. size.....$1.49
3 qt. size.....$1.69
Edgewood Fountain Syringe.
2 qt. size.....47¢
3 qt. size.....59¢
Reputation Fountain Syringe. Extra quality, full length special rapid flow tubing, with large outlet, which insures a powerful spray. Complete, with hard rubber pipes, guaranteed for 1 year.
2 qt. size.....$1.89
3 qt. size.....$2.15

ENAMELLED COVERS FOR MEDICINE GLASSES—With 2 dials to indicate when next dose of medicine is to be taken..9¢
GLASS NASAL DOUCHE, 25c value..13¢
GAUZE BANDAGES—10 yards long, 1 inch to 3 inches in width, 5¢ to 10¢ each; 75¢ per pound.
STERILIZING THERMOMETERS—With special scale from 10 to 320 deg. F..39¢

ANKLE SUPPORTS

Excellent protection for skaters. Every one should have a pair. Jaynes' Goatskin, per pair.....37¢
Corliss Support, with steel braces, per pair.....93¢

CANDY

SPECIAL THIS WEEK

Chocolate Honey Ice Cream Drops

29c lb.

Something entirely new. Delicious and wholesome confection. Made with pure honey.

We Are Exclusive Agents for the Famous

Guth Chocolates

PATENT MEDICINES

Prices Cut 33 1-3 to 40 Per Cent

	Regular Price.	Sale Price
California Syrup of Figs	50c	33c
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	$1.00	59c
Minard's Liniment	25c	17c
Nerves	$1.00	69c
Farr's Gray Hair Restorer, 1.00		79c
Hubbard's Germicide	$1.00	85c
Sal Hepatica	25c	17c
Sal Hepatica	60c	37c
Sal Hepatica	$1.20	76c
Scott's Emulsion	$1.00	67c
Father John's Medicine	$1.00	64c
Orangeine	50c	33c
Zymole Trokeys	25c	19c
Williams' Pink Pills	50c	36c
Lorrimer's Hair Tonic	$1.00	79c
Bromo Seltzer	25c	15c
Danderine	$1.00	73c
Newbro's Herpicide	50c	39c
Beecham's Pills	25c	17c
Birt's Head Wash	50c	33c
Allcock's Porous Plasters	25c	12c
Lung Kuro	50c	36c
Swamproot	50c	33c
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	$1.00	71c
Poslam	50c	43c
Diamond Dyes	10c	8c
Doan's Pills	50c	31c
Eskay's Food	75c	59c
Malted Milk	$1.00	65c
Omega Oil	50c	33c

DRUGS

Analyzed in Our Own Laboratory and Guaranteed Highest Purity

	Regular Price.	Sale Price
Cod Liver Oil (best Norwegian) pint bottle	50c	38c
Rock Candy, pound package	25c	13c
Powdered Borax, pound	20c	12c
Aspirin Tablets, bottle of 100	$1.00	79c
Aspirin, 1 oz. bottle	75c	50c
Castor Oil, pint bottle	50c	30c
Black Stick Licorice, 8 sticks 1 lb.	50c	25c
Licorice Powder, lb.	50c	20c
Witch Hazel, pint bottle	35c	23c
Flaxseed, pound	15c	8c
Glycerine, pound bottle	50c	33c
Elm Bark, select, 1-4 pound	25c	15c
Wild Cherry Bark, pound	40c	25c
Powdered Orris Root, lb.	50c	23c
Compound Syrup of White Pine, 4 oz. bottle	35c	23c
Tincture Rhubarb, 4 oz. bot.	35c	23c
Tincture Benzoin, 4 oz. bot.	40c	25c
Fluid Extract Cascara, 4 oz. bottle	50c	38c
Glycerine and Rose Water, 4 oz. bottle	25c	18c
French White Gelatine, lb.	75c	45c
Camphor Gum, pound	75c	55c
Chalk and Orris Root, 1-4 lb. pkg.	25c	10c
Cocoa Butter, 1-2 lb. cake	50c	37c
Cold Cream, 1-4 lb. glass jar	35c	25c
Collodion, 1 oz. bottle, with brush	25c	15c
Sweet Spirits Nitre 4 oz. bot	35c	23c
Oil of Sweet Almonds, 4 oz. bottle	40c	25c
Zinc Ointment, 4 oz. jar	40c	25c

CIGARS

Popular 10 Cent Brands

Including Quincy, 7-20-4, C. C. A., M. C. A., Harvard, Barrister, Marguerite, Northern Light, Bostonia, Poet, Blackstone and Trimount

6 Cents

Popular 10c Cut Plug Tobaccos
3 for 25c

All 10c Cigarettes.....8c
All 15c Cigarettes.....10c
All 25c Cigarettes.....18c

MERCHANTS CASH VALUE STAMPS — LEGAL TRADING STAMPS

We will give double trading stamps forenoons up to 12 o'clock and single stamps the remainder of the day. Please shop early. Ask for them.

New Process
Hot Chocolate

Made from finest Swiss cocoa. Served always hot enough, with plenty of Rich Whipped Jersey Cream. A treat on a cold day.

5c Cup

121-123 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

WE ALWAYS HAVE SOLD—WE ARE NOW SELLING AND WE ALWAYS SHALL SELL THE HIGHEST QUALITY OF DRUG STORE GOODS AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORE

You Are Safe When You Buy at Riker-Jaynes

10% OFF IN OUR
Truss and Elastic Hosiery Departments

Cut out this coupon and present to the attendant and you will get 10% off from our regular low prices. This week only.

REMEMBER
We carry the largest variety, employ expert attendants, trained nurses for women and children. You get the advice and attention of specialists without paying specialists' prices. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed at reasonable prices.

AMES' FRIENDS

Say That He Will Oppose Lodge

A despatch from Washington reads:

One has got to come to Washington to hear that Butler Ames is really in the senatorial fight against Senator Lodge. In Massachusetts one seldom runs across any evidence of Ames' campaign, but down here Ames and his friends don't hesitate to say that the Ames-Lodge fight is on in earnest. Senator Lodge only laughs when his friends call his attention to the Ames talk. If he scents serious trouble with the young scion of the Butler family, renowned for its political fighters, the senior senator does not betray it in his daily contact with visiting statesmen from home.

"Tell you a good story I heard about that," said one of Senator Lodge's friends the other day. "There is an artist here in Washington, a Milesian gentleman, who naturally has a fine sense of humor. To be perfectly frank with you, he is a better humorist than an artist. He met Congressman Ames at a pink tea given by the high social set of this city, and the latter told the artist he was from Massachusetts.

"I'm fighting Senator Lodge for the senate," said the young Lowell congressman. The artist knows Senator Lodge very well.

"Are you?" the artist said. "I wonder if Senator Lodge knows it."

Senator Lodge, by the way, is looking and feeling much better than he did last summer and fall. If his health holds out it is his purpose to take the stump for the state ticket next fall, and those in his confidence say that he purposes to keep Mr. Foss quite busy answering questions if the latter should again be a candidate for lieutenant-governor on the democratic ticket.

BUYING COTTON FUTURES

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 21.—Savannah brokers received reports yesterday that southern mills were buying heavily of cotton future contracts in New York and would demand deliveries. A considerable amount was said to be for January delivery. By this means the mills are enabled to take advantage of the lower prices of futures, spot cotton in the southern markets having failed to decline to anything like a corresponding degree.

JACK JOHNSON

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF FELONIOUS ASSAULT

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Jack" Johnson, the champion heavyweight pugilist was arrested in New York last night, charged with felonious assault. Felony cases are not taken to the night court and his release could only be brought about by getting a police magistrate out of bed to accept bail. George Little, the negro's manager, scurried away from the police.

VOTE DESKS TO THEMSELVES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The members of the retiring common council of Boston voted last night to bestow upon themselves the desks and chairs which each had used during their term of service in the council. An attempt to add to the order that ink and ink wells and a portion of the carpet and floor underneath be added was lost.

The order also included the provision that if any had scruples about taking away the furniture they might pay the city a small compensation for the same.

One member objected to the order on the ground that the members of the council had been branded as grafters and capable of taking anything in sight and if the order was passed they would also be accused of taking what was nailed down.

As the desks are made in sections of seven each the city is expected to furnish someone to saw them apart.

R&G CORSETS

A model for every figure.

Last But By No Means Least

Our January Sale of Muslin Underwear Started This Morning at 10 O'Clock

We have delayed our sale so that manufacturers could send us their small lots, which were left after they had filled orders for stores that wished to have their sales early. These lots we have secured at great concessions in price, and we will offer today some of the most remarkable bargains you have ever seen. As usual we have provided liberal quantities, but we advise an early selection.

Corset Covers of good nainsook, deep yokes of lace, some with two rows of ribbon. January sale price..... 15c

Corset Covers of good nainsook, lace or embroidery trimmed, yokes run with ribbon. January sale price.... 25c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Corset Covers, novelty edges and insertions. January sale price..... 47c

Petticoats of good cambric, flounce of embroidery, and finished with dust ruffle. You never saw them before for 29c

Petticoats of good cambric, two styles, with flounce of pretty embroidery. January sale price 59c

Five styles of lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, styles you can buy anywhere for 98c. January sale price 69c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, some with ribbon and heading at top of the flounce. January sale price 97c

Lace and embroidery trimmed Petticoats, discontinued styles that sold for $1.97. January sale price $1.50

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle, finished with hemstitched edge and tucks, a copy of a 25c style. January sale price.... 15c

Drawers of good cambric, umbrella ruffle of dainty embroidery. We know they are worth 50c, because we sold them for 50c. January sale price..... 29c

Gowns of good nainsook, round neck trimmed with lace or embroidery, run with ribbon, good 98c values. January sale price..... 59c

Gowns of Masonvill muslin, two styles, that ought not to be sold for less than 98c, considering the quality and present price of cloth. January sale price..... 69c

Gowns of Masonvill muslin, yoke of tucks and embroidery, and some of our regular $1.50 styles. January sale price 97c

Combinations of good cambric or cross lawn, trimmed with ribbon and lace, some of our 97c styles. January sale price..... 75c

$1.50 and $1.97 combinations reduced for this sale to 97c

For this sale we have reduced the prices of all our muslin underwear of the better grades.

The White Store

116 MERRIMACK STREET.

AT THE ARMORY

Inspection of Company M Was Held

The annual United States government inspection of Company M, Ninth Infantry, M. V. M., was held last night at the state armory in Westford street. Capt. Robert H. Allen of the 29th U. S. Infantry being the inspecting officer. Assisting in the inspection was Major John J. Dunn, junior major of the Ninth regiment and formerly commander of Company D of Charlestown.

The resignation of Lieut. Thomas J. O'Donnell has been tendered to Capt. Philip McNulty, Lieut. O'Donnell finding that he has not the time to devote to military affairs that are necessary in connection with his office. Clerk P. Hildreth Parker will also sever his connection with the company on March 9th.

Company G, Sixth regiment, was awarded the medals and bars for shooting, at a meeting held last night, Capt. S. W. Wise of Boston, I. S. A. P., doing the honors. Eight expert marksmanship medals were awarded as follows: Capt. Walter R. Joyes, Second Lieut. F. A. Mottram, Sergeants C. J. Barnes, Wm. S. Miner and R. G. Carlson, Corp. R. J. Keeler and Privates George D. Crowell and William McGookin. All the other members of the company have qualified previously in some one of the classes. The new medals are in the shape of a St. Andrew's cross.

As guests of the company during the evening were Capt. Colby T. Killredge of the paymaster's department, and Capt. Lewis G. Hunton of the commissary department of the Sixth regiment. Refreshments were served during the evening. The committee having the affair in charge was: Lieut. Thomas W. Doyle, Lieut. F. A. Mottram, Corp. F. C. Hanahan, Artificer J. D. Hudson and Private J. Roddy.

REV. FR. NOLAN

ADDRESSED JUNIOR BRANCH OF HOLY NAME SOCIETY

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the junior branch of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church was held last night in the school hall. The feature of the meeting was the election of officers which resulted as follows:

William J. O'Connell, president; Luke McCann, vice president; Bernard Kane, secretary; Rev. George I. Nolan, O. M. I., spiritual director and treasurer.

After the election of officers the members were addressed by Rev. Fr. Nolan, whose kind words of encouragement were warmly appreciated by the members of the society. The newly elected president thanked the members for the honor which they had bestowed upon him and hoped with their assistance to double the membership in a short time. After the business meeting a social session was held, which was greatly enjoyed.

THE TRAINMEN

WERE NOT ALLOWED INCREASE IN WAGES

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 21.—Although every railroad east of the Mississippi and north of the Chesapeake and Ohio system has declined the proposal of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen for an adjustment of the wage scale, there is no intention on the part of the brotherhood to resort to a strike at present.

Seventy-two of the railroads affected have requested that committees of the trainmen meet them in negotiations. Several have submitted counter-propositions. Beginning today, the trainmen's committee on each of the lines involved, will confer with the officials of the railroads, with a view toward an amicable settlement.

"The refusal of the railroads to accept our terms does not mean that relations between the brotherhood and the railroads are strained," said W. G. Lee, president of the brotherhood, yesterday. "It simply means that our proposition as framed is refused. No committee of our organization representing the men on a single railroad will be permitted to make any concessions. If such a committee wants to make a move of the sort the members must take up the matter with the members at large. I am not discouraged."

WANTS MONEY

TO CONDUCT INQUIRY INTO WHITE SLAVERY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., wants the city of New York to make a special appropriation to stamp out white slavery. As foreman of a special grand jury, appointed recently to investigate this traffic in women, of which New York is said to be the headquarters, he called on both Mayor Gaynor and Comptroller Prendergast for this purpose yesterday.

Results have already been achieved by the Rockefeller grand jury; several arrests have been made, indictments have been returned and a mass of evidence collected. But the son of the richest man in the world is anxious to have the investigation go further, to employ experts and to go as deep if not deeper than the recent congressional inquiry.

NEGROES PROTEST

SAY THAT THEY ARE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST

HAVANA, Jan. 21.—Practically all the negro members of congress, followed by a large crowd of colored politicians, visited President Gomez at the palace last evening and presented a petition demanding that the president take cognizance of the continued discrimination against negroes requesting lodging and entertainment.

The delegation informed the president that this was the first step on the part of the negro element of the whole island in a vigorous campaign.

The president told the delegation that he would do all within his constitutional power to remove the cause of irritation and secure to all citizens, irrespective of color, the full enjoyment of equal rights.

THE CHANLER CASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—"Here is the spectacle of a rich young man attempting to attain the presidency of the United States by getting himself advertised like a quack medicine, and making a fiasco, leaving behind a train of dishonored obligations and compromised claims," said Clarence J. Shearn, in summing up yesterday for the plaintiff, William J. Clarke, in his suit against former Lieutenant Governor Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, to recover $20,000 for alleged publicity services in 1907.

Ladies' Storm Rubbers 50c value for 33c

J·L·CHALIFOUX 49 to 59 CENTRAL ST.

Men's Shawknit Hose SECONDS 10c

Your Minutes Are Worth Money Now

The "Move On!" Clearance Event Ends

All good things must end, and this "Move On!" sale, rich in opportunity for those wise shoppers who take advantage of the decisive price reductions, must draw to a close tomorrow night.

Tomorrow will be the busiest day, of course, and so we hope you'll come in the morning, when shopping will be easier, and when you will have more time for selection.

Below we print a little list, telling of some of the chances to save money here before the "Move On!" sale ends tomorrow night.

WAIST DEPT.

French Flannel Waists, with side pleats and button front and a few nun's veiling waists, were $1.98, to close..... 98c

Net Waists, in ecru and white, prettily trimmed with lace and medallions, were $1.98, to close..... $1.39

Odd lot of White Tailored Waists, with embroidered fronts and laundered collars and cuffs; also a few blues, were 98c, to close 69c

An Odd Lot of Ladies' Mannish Sweaters, with pockets, gray and white only, were $1.98, to close..... $1.39

LADIES' CLOAK AND SUIT DEPT.

Odd Lot Fur Collared Coats, made to sell at $10, to close....$3.19

Odd Lot of Misses' School Coats, fancy mixtures, sizes 14 to 18, $8 value, to close.....$2.89

A Few of Our Black Kersey Coats in short or long lengths, to close..... $2.89

What's left of our $2 and $2.50 Skirts to close.....$1.69

All the Odds and Ends of Our $10 and $15 Raincoats, styles and fabrics to suit 'most any taste, to close.....$4.89

SUITS FOR STOUT LADIES

Being over-stocked with out-size garments, sizes 39 to 47, we are putting a price that will move them; sold up to $30, to close $12.89

The remainder of our Suits which sold up to $27, mostly small sizes left, to close.....$7.89

Bargainland

Leather Hand Bags, single or double straps, moire lined with inside purses and pocket, 69c value..... 39c

Long or Medium Waist Corsets, with 2 or 4 hose supporters attached, good quality batiste, 50c value..... 39c

Ladies' All Wool Hose in black and oxford and light gray, 25c value..... 19c

Boys' Heavy Rib Wool Hose, 25c value..... 19c

Men's Black Cotton Hose, 8c value..... 3c

Men's Working Shirts, plain blue chambray and colored striped cheviots, 50c value.....33c

Boys' Strong Sleds, 50c value, 25c

Dressing Combs, in black only, 10c

Jumbo Fine Tooth Combs.....8c

Hair Brushes, 20c value.....8c

Peet's Invisible Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, all sizes, package..... 8c

Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, a card..... 2c

Wire Hair Pins, a box.....2c

Basting Cotton, 500 yards, a spool..... 4c

All Sizes Needles, a paper.....1c

Hat Elastic, a yard.....1c

Hose Supporters, 10c value....4c

Shoe Laces, a dozen.....5c

Black or Colored Sewing Silk, a spool..... 5c

Pins, 400 counted, a paper.....2c

"MOVE ON" PRICES

Ladies' House Dresses and Kimonas

Ladies' One-Piece House Dresses in black and white check percale, 95c

Ladies' Two-Piece House Dresses in black and white figure, worth $1 and $1.50, to close at....59c

Long Kimonas, in flannelette, extra heavy, fancy stripes, trimmed with satin to match, worth $3..... $1.89

Short Kimonas, in heavy flannelette, all the newest shades, some shirred or empire back and ribbon ties, worth $1.50.....95c

Short Kimonas and Dressing Sacques in navy, gray or garnet, percale or flannelette, worth 50c, 29c

BARGAINLAND

"MOVE ON" PRICES

Ladies' Skirts and Robes

Ladies' Short Flannelette Skirts, in stripe only, with or without flounce, worth 25c.....17c

Short Skirts with embroidered or hemmed ruffle, extra full, fancy pink or blue stripes, worth 50c, 39c

Gingham Skirts with single or double flounce, extra fine quality, worth 50c 39c

Black Petticoats, extra full with ruffle, worth 50c.....39c

Children's Flannelette Skirts in pink, blue or white with cambric waist and buttons, 2 to 6 years, worth 25c 15c

Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes in stripes only, trimmed with pink or blue, worth 75c.....59c

Flannelette Night Robes in plain or fancy colors, embroidered or trimmed, colors to match, worth $1.50 ..... 89c

Children's Night Robes in pink or blue stripe, trimmed in plain colors to match, worth 50c.... 39c

BARGAINLAND

SHOE DEPT.

Babies' Red Quilted Satin Boots—fur trimmed—sizes 0, 1, 2 and 3, 50c value 25c

Child's Corduroy, Leather and Black Velvet Leggins, $1.25 value 69c

Misses' 2-Buckle Storm Boots, in Russian calf and box calf, $1.98 value $1.49

Child's and Misses' Black Storm Boots, $1.75 value.....$1.19

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Juliettes, small sizes only, $1 and $1.25 values 69c

Ladies' Storm Boots in button and lace, Russia calf, box calf and gun metal, $3 and $3.50 values, $2.48

Ladies' Gun Metal and Patent Colt Button and Lace Boots, mostly narrow width, $3 and $3.50 values $2.48

Furnishing Goods Dept. Specials

All our Fine Silk and Satin 25c Four-in-Hand Scarfs for....17c

A Fine Lot of Men's 50c Neglige Shirts for 33c

Men's and Boys' Oxford Gray Sweaters, 50c value, for....33c

Men's Black Jersey Coats, $1 value, for 50c

LAST AND BEST DAY OF OUR

MOVE ON SALE OF HATS AND CAPS

LAST—Because the many hundreds who will be here tomorrow will sweep the tables clean.
BEST—Because to keep the sale going one day longer we have reinforced the broken assortments with a number of complete lines.

Your Choice of any Hats marked $3.00 for..... $2.00
Your Choice of any Hats marked $2.00 for..... $1.69
Your Choice of any Hats marked $1.50 for..... $1.19
Manufacturer's Samples of Soft or Stiff Hats, value from $1.25 to $2.00..... 69c
All our Fur Inside Band 49c Golf Caps for..... 29c
All our Fur Inside Band 39c Golf Caps for..... 19c
Children's Angora Wool Yarn Tam o' Shanters, 50c value for..... 19c
Children's Worsted Skating Caps, 50c value for..... 33c

Extraordinary Reductions---Men's Suits and Overcoats

$18.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$12.95
$15.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$10.00
$12.00 Overcoats reduced to..... $7.50

$18.00 Suits reduced to.....$12.95
$10.00 Suits reduced to..... $7.50

Boys' Overcoats at Less Than Cost Sizes—10 and 16 Years

Boys' $5.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$2.50 | Boys' $6.00 Overcoats reduced to.....$3.00

NIGHT EDITION

FIREMEN OVERCOME

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Frequent explosions of fireworks lent spectacular features to a lively fire in Bronx borough today in which ten firemen were overcome by smoke and five were shocked by contact with a live wire.

When a dozen firemen entered the building fireworks stored in the basement began to explode and drove the men back while suffocating clouds of smoke caught ten of them and they dropped unconscious. Comrades rushed in, dragged them out and revived them. Five men working in the building stumbled against an electric wire from which the insulation had been burned. They were badly shocked and Fireman Bergen was taken to a hospital in a serious condition.

The fire burned the small structure pretty well out, doing several thousand dollars damage.

SILVER WEDDING

Of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Barton Today

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus W. Barton are today observing the 25th anniversary of their marriage, and a host of friends will unite with The Sun in wishing them long life and continued happiness and prosperity. The celebration took the form of a reception which was held at the hospitable home of the happy couple, 78 South Walker street. The reception was held between 3 and 5 this afternoon and will be continued from 8 to 10 this evening. Mr. and Mrs. Barton in receiving their guests were unattended, but by a happy coincidence the ushers were the same two gentlemen who officiated in a similar capacity at their wedding 25 years ago, Mr. John Crawford and Mr. Charles A. Gale. An orchestra furnished music during the reception, and a dainty lunch was served. The interior of the house was prettily decorated. There were many guests from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton were married in this city by Rev. Dr. Smith Baker on Jan. 21, 1885, and have resided here continuously ever since. There were four generations present at the wedding, one of whom was Mrs. Barton's grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Messenger of Lawrence, who is now 90 years old.

Mr. Barton is a native of Croydon, N. H., but has resided in Lowell for the past thirty years. He is one of Lowell's best known builders, having constructed the East Merrimack street bridge and laid the foundation for the new Bartlett, Greenhalge and Middlesex county training schools. It was he who built the pontoon bridge for the recent automobile carnival and he has done extensive bridge building all over New England. He has done considerable work for local corporations and has built a number of residences. In politics he is a republican and served in the board of aldermen in 1900 and 1902.

Mrs. Barton, who was Miss Marion Griffin, is a native of this city and is well known here. Mr. and Mrs. Barton have two sons, Sidney C. and Charles L., both of whom live with their parents.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	84¼	81½	84½
Am Car & Fn	66⅛	65¼	66⅛
Am Car & Fn pf	117½	117	117½
Am Cot Oil	65	64	64½
Am Locomo	55	54	54¾
Am Smelt & R	95⅛	92⅞	95⅜
Am Smelt & R pf	109⅝	109¼	109⅝
Am Sugar Rfn	122	121½	122
Anaconda	51⅛	49⅞	51⅛
Atchison	119⅛	117⅞	119⅛
Balt & Ohio	116¾	115⅞	116⅝
Br Rap Tran	75	73⅝	75
Canadian Pa	181	180	181
Cast I Pipe	29¼	28½	28⅝
C I Pipe pf	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
Cent Leather	43¾	43⅛	43½
Cent Leather pf	107½	107⅛	107⅛
Ches & Ohio	86¼	83⅝	86⅛
C C C & St L	79	79	79
Col Fuel	45½	44	45¼
Consol Gas	150½	146¾	150⅜
Del & Hud	176½	175	176½
Den & Rio G	44⅛	43¼	44⅛
Den & R G pf	80⅞	80⅞	80⅞
Dis Secur Co	34½	34⅛	34⅛
Erie	31⅛	30⅞	31½
Erie 1st pf	48½	48⅛	48½
Erie 2d pf	38	37¾	38
Gen Elec	155	154	155
Gt North pf	135½	133	135½
Gt No Ore ctf	76	74	75
Illinois Cen	145⅛	143¼	145⅛
Int Met Com	22½	21	22½
Int Met pf	58⅝	56	58⅝
Int Paper	14	14	14
Int Paper pf	55¾	55½	55½
In S Pump Co	52¾	48½	52¾
I S Pump pf	87	87	87
Iowa Central	26¼	25	26
Iowa Cen pf	47½	46⅛	47½
Kan City So	40⅝	39¾	40⅝
K City So pf	70	69⅛	69⅞
Kan & Texas	45¾	44¼	45¾
Louis & Nash	148½	147⅝	148½
Mexican Cent	28¼	27⅛	27¾
Missouri Pa	73	69½	71
Nat Lead	85⅝	84	85⅝
N Y Air Brake	89	87	89
N Y Central	120	118⅜	119⅞
No Am Co	79⅝	78½	79⅝
Nor & West	97½	96⅝	97½
North Pacific	137¼	134½	136¾
Ont & West	45¾	45	45¾
Pennsylvania	134	133⅜	134
People's Gas	112½	111	112⅛
Pressed Steel	46½	44½	46½
Pullman Co	200	194½	198
Ry St Sp Co	47	45	47
Reading	163¼	161⅝	162⅞
Rep Iron & S	39¾	38	39½
Rep I & S pf	102	100½	102
Rock Is	44⅛	42¾	44⅛
Rock Is pf	85½	85	85½
St L & So'wn	30¾	30¼	30¾
St L & S'n pf	75¼	74½	75¼
St Paul	149¼	147⅝	149⅛
So Pacific	131⅛	129¾	131¼
Southern Ry	31⅛	30	31⅛
Southern Ry pf	68⅞	68	68⅞
Tenn Copper	36	36	36
Texas Pac	33⅛	32⅛	33
Third Ave	16¾	15¾	16¾
Union Pacific	193⅛	191¼	193⅜
Union Pac pf	101	100½	101
U S Rub	47½	45⅝	46⅛
U S Rub pf	112¼	111	112¼
U S Steel	86¾	83¾	86¾
U S Steel pf	124	122	124
Utah Copper	53⅜	51⅞	53
Wabash R R	22¾	22¼	22⅝
Wab R R pf	51¾	49¾	51⅝
Westinghouse	75	73½	75
Western Un	73	72¼	73
Wh & L Erie	6½	6⅛	6¼
Wiscon Cen	50	50	50

Boston Clearing House

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Clearing house statement: Exchanges $36,758,010; balances $2,270,481.

STOCK MARKET

CLOSED VERY STRONG AND ACTIVE TODAY

Some Disposition to Take Profits on the Day's Advances—United States Steel Stock Rose to 86¾

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Prices of stocks at the opening were higher than last night on active dealings. The gains were restricted to small fractions in almost all cases. United Dry Goods rose 1½, Minn., St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie 1¼, Am. Smelting, Pittsburg Coal & Hocking Coal a point and Texas & Pacific and Consolidated Gas large fractions. National Railways of Mexico 2nd pfd declined 1.

After a slight shading of prices the market showed signs of support but prices were not held with much stability and later a drive against Amal. Copper which sent it down 2 points weakened the whole list. U. S. Steel and U. P. were offered very freely, but showed good resistance after they had dipped about half a point under yesterday's final prices. Central Railroad of New Jersey lost 4 points, Brooklyn Union Gas 2, Rock Island, 1 3-8 and Northern Pacific and Consolidated Gas 1. Some minor stocks were strong, International Harvester going up 2 1-4 and the Toledo, St. Louis & Western stocks, Colorado & Southern, Kansas City, Southern pfd., Sloss Sheffield Steel and American Malting pfd. 1.

A moderate but steady absorption of stocks carried prices up again to a higher level than before. Pullman rose 5 3-4, Chicago, St. Paul, Minnesota & Omaha 5, Missouri Pacific 3 1-4, Westinghouse Electric and Colorado & Southern 2, and others 1 or more. Bonds were firm.

Prices kept rising but the dealings gradually shrank until the trading was almost nominal. Brooklyn, Union Gas advanced 6 points above yesterday's close, Central Railway of New Jersey and Northern Pacific and U. S. Steel 1. A number of other stocks also gained a point or more.

Profit taking caused a slight reaction but as soon as this selling stopped prices went up to the highest again. U. S. Steel was bought in blocks of 1000 shares and upwards and touched 85 3-4.

The market closed very strong and active. Some disposition was shown to take profits on the day's advances but the periodic strength of United States steel held the whole market. That stock rose to 86 3-4.

Spot Cotton

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Cotton spot closed quiet, 30 points higher. Mid Ups, 14.45; Mid Gulf, 14.70. Sales, 2500 bales.

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Nev	7	7	7
Bay State Gas	37	36	37
Boston Ely	4	3⅞	4
Cactus	6	5¾	5¾
Davis-Daly	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Eclipse Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
First National	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Indiana	35½	33½	34½
Inspiration	9	9	9
La Rose	4½	4½	4½
Majestic	93	90	90
National Explor	70	66	67
Ohio Copper	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Raven	68	65	67
R I Coal	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
Tenabo	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Vulture	8½	8½	8½
Willett	6	5½	6

The Money Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Money on call steady at 3 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Exchanges $539,623,232; balances $16,331,546.

Money on call steady, 3 1-2a4 per cent., ruling rate 3 3-4; last loan 3 1-2, closing bid 3 1-2, offered at 3 3-4. Time loans easy, sixty days 4 per cent. and 90 days 4 per cent.; six months, 4 1-4.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak at 483.60a483.75 for sixty day bills and at 486.35 for demand. Commercial bills 483a483 1-2. Bar silver 52 1-4; Mexican dollars 44. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm.

COTTON EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Cotton exports during 1909 were considerably greater in value than during the previous year, although the comparison shows a reduction in most of the other important agricultural products.

The increase in cotton export values was due to the high prices prevailing last year. In 1909 the unmanufactured cotton exported was valued at about $462,000,000, while in 1908 it was worth about $439,000,000.

Cotton cloth was exported last year to the value of more than $23,000,000, while the year before only $17,000,000 worth was sent out of the country.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	8½	7⅛	7⅛
Am Pneu pf	18½	18½	18½
Am Tel & Tel	137¾	137	137¾
Am Woolen pf	102	100½	102
American Zinc	34	34	34
Arcadian	9	8½	9
Arizona Com	46	44¼	46
Bos Con Copper	19	19	19
Bos & Corbin	22½	21¾	22½
Butte Coal'n	26¾	24¾	26¾
Cal & Arizona	85½	84½	84½
Centennial	33	32	32
Copper Range	82¼	80¼	82¼
Daly-West	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
Franklin	19¼	19	19½
Granby	102	101	102
Greene-Cananea	10¼	9⅞	10⅛
Isle Royale	25	24⅛	24¾
Lake Copper	91	89	91
Mass.	8¾	7½	8¾
Mass Electric	19	18⅛	19
Mass Electric pf	80½	80½	80½
Mass Gas	80	80	80
Miami Cop	25¾	25¼	25½
Michigan	8¼	7⅛	8¼
Mohawk	75	73½	74¼
Nevada	25⅛	24¼	25⅛
New Eng Tel	135	135	135
N Y & N H	156	155	156
North Butte	47	45¾	46
Old Dominion	48½	48⅛	48½
Osceola	159	159	159
Parrott	21½	20¾	21¼
Shannon	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Superior Copper	63½	63	63
Superior & Pitts	14½	14⅜	14½
Swift & Co	108	107¾	108
Tamarack	65	65	65
Trinity	10	9	10
United Fruit	168⅛	167½	167½
United Sh M	68	67¾	68
Un Sh M pf	30	30	30
U S Coal & Oil	39¼	38½	39¼
U S Smelting	49½	49½	49½
Utah-Apex	4½	4½	4½
Utah Cons	41	40½	41
Winona	12⅛	11½	12⅛
Wolverine	47	47	47

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—There was a marked interest in local stocks at the opening today. Values declined slightly from yesterday's close but at noon the market was strong and active.

Bank Of England

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The rate of discount of the imperial bank of Germany was reduced from 5 to 4½ percent today.

Cotton Futures

	Opening	Closing
January		14.26
February		14.20
March	14.00	14.24
April		14.30
May	14.15	14.37
June	14.11 bid	14.38
July	14.13	14.37
August	13.85	13.10
September	13.05	13.23
October	13.67	12.77
November	12.56	12.55
Dec. ofd	12.50	12.56

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Falling Hair

You Run No Risk When You Use This Remedy

While many people in their prime doubt the assertion that "the hairs of our head are numbered," yet there is today many a man and woman fast reaching the point where this statement is literally brought home to them. If you suffer from irritation of the scalp, and from dandruff, or if your hair is falling out, do not wait until you reach the point where you can actually count how many hairs are left on your head.

Most cases of baldness are caused because the roots lack proper nutrition. In such cases there is a microbe which bores through the scalp along the line of the hair into the root and when it lodges there it begins to destroy the fatty matter around the hair roots. When the scalp and hair roots are strong and healthy, it is impossible for these microbes to get in their deadly work.

We can promise you that, if your hair is falling out, and you have not let it go too far, you can repair the damage already done by using "Rexall 93" Hair Tonic. It is a scientific, cleansing, antiseptic, germicidal preparation, that destroys microbes, stimulates good circulation around the hair roots, promotes hair nourishment, removes dandruff and restores hair health. It is as pleasant to use as pure water, and it is delicately perfumed. It is a real toilet necessity.

We want you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic with our promise that it will cost you nothing unless you are perfectly satisfied with its use. It comes in two sizes. Prices 50 cents and $1.00. Remember you can obtain it only at our store,—the Rexall Store, Hall & Lyon Co.

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Nelson's Colonial Store

CENTRAL AND MERRIMACK STREETS.

FOOT CRUSHED

MARTIN MURPHY INJURED AT LOWELL MACHINE SHOP

Martin Murphy, residing at 180 Broadway, met with a painful accident while at work at the Lowell Machine shop this morning. While moving some weights one fell on his right foot, crushing that member. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the Lowell hospital.

TO THE PUBLIC

I desire to say that when I took the agency for ZEMO, it was after a thorough investigation as to the merit and curative properties of this remedy for eczema, pimples and dandruff. I frankly admit ZEMO has far exceeded my expectations as a cure for skin diseases. I am pleased to state that I shall continue the agency as ZEMO gives the best satisfaction of any similar remedy I have ever sold. My customers like ZEMO because it is a clean, vegetable liquid for external use. ZEMO cures by drawing to the surface of the skin and destroying the germ life that causes the disease leaving the skin clean and healthy. It does not soil the clothing or linens and can be used freely on infants.

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7-20-4 R. G. SULLIVAN'S 10c Cigar

Increased sales in past year 4,048,677. Money's worth to the smoker tells the story. R. G. SULLIVAN, Sole Proprietor, Manchester, N. H.

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at the Big Clean Sweep Sale

The crowds which have visited us during the two weeks of this notable sale, eager to get a share of our big bargains, fully attest the reality of the values we have offered. This, however, cannot last longer, and we POSITIVELY STATE that TODAY and TOMORROW will mark the last of our price cutting. For lack of space we just mention a few specials:

Children's Felt Trimmed Hats, that sold for $1.00 and $1.50. Clean sweep price 33c; further cut 29c

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, that sold for $8.00. Clean sweep price $2.98; further cut.......... $1.98

Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes, that sold for $2.50. Clean sweep price $1.98; further cut.... $1.89

Men's Suits, that sold for $18.00. Clean sweep price $10.98; further cut.............. $9.98

REMEMBER, that these prices are only for today and tomorrow.

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The Cut Price Store, 92 Gorham Street

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

Failed to Move Stock

Being in need of the space now taken up by all winter goods that have failed to move the past season, we inform those in need of Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes or Rubbers that we have them priced so that you should be interested by all means.

GIVE A LOOK AT THE FOLLOWING QUOTATIONS:

Men's Double Breasted Flannel Shirts	59c
Gloves in Wool and Leather	19c
Men's Ribbed Underwear	19c
All Wool Underwear, all kinds	85c
Working Shirts, collars attached	33c
Winter Caps, men's and boys'	19c
Men's Dress Shirts, cuffs attached, all sizes	33c
Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear, all sizes	29c
Boys' Heavy Coat Sweaters, all sizes	29c
Men's Heavy Coat Sweaters, all sizes	35c
Boys' Heavy Knee Trousers, sizes to 14	15c
Boys' Overcoats, odd sizes	98c
Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 14	89c
Men's Trousers, all sizes	99c
Men's Suits	$4.95, $6.95, $8.95
Men's Overcoats	$4.95, $6.95, $8.95
Men's and Ladies' Shoes	$1.49, $1.69, $1.99
Boys' Shoes, sizes 8 to 13	98c
Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Rubbers	39c, 49c, 59c, 69c
Silk Four-in-Hand Neckwear	9c

We have dozens of other big values all over the store. All our better goods are reduced 1-4 and 1-3 from regular prices, especially Heavy Suits and Overcoats. At your convenience we would be glad to show you the great values we offer. Can we?

For a Big Dollar's Worth

King's CLOTHING FURNISHINGS & SHOES

31-41 Merrimack Street

KELLEHER TRIAL

Set for Feb. 7 on Murder Charge

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Mary Kelleher of Somerville, who is under indictment for the murder of six of her relatives by poisoning, will be placed on trial Feb. 7 on the six counts of murder, according to the ruling of Chief Justice Aiken of the superior criminal court, who yesterday overruled the motion of Attorneys Bancroft and Stearns, who petitioned that she be tried on one count at a time.

In their motion the attorneys stated that Mrs. Kelleher was accused of several separate and distinct acts and that for her to be tried on the six counts at one time would unduly prejudice her right to a fair trial.

The chief justice has allowed the appointment of Dr. James Homer Wright as an expert for the defence.

CANADIAN LABOR LAW

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—One of the results of the recent visits here of Canadian Commissioner of Labor Mackenzie King was a bill for the application of the Canadian labor law in the settlement of disputes which was introduced in the legislature today. The measure replaces the present board of conciliation and arbitration by a state board of labor whose duty shall be the securing of industrial peace.

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SID HESTER

WANTS TO PULL OFF NELSON-WOLGAST BOUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.—Sid Hester, San Francisco fight promoter, posted a $2500 forfeit last night as a guarantee that he will pull off a 45 round fight between Battling Nelson and Ad Wolgast on Feb. 22, either in this city or in San Mateo county.

ESTABLISHED NEW RECORD

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—M. McDermott, a high school swimmer, established a new American record for the 100 yard breast stroke in a match last night. His time was 1 minute and 17 seconds, clipping two seconds off the previous record.

FRANK DE GEORGE

Fined $50 for Illegal Keeping

Frank de George, whose place in North street was visited by the liquor inspectors a week ago Sunday, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with illegally keeping liquor when arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning. A fine of $50 was imposed.

Walter L. Burns, charged with drunkenness, was fined $6. There were three $2 drunks.

LANCE ARRESTED

Charged With Swindling People

CHICAGO, Jan. 21—Joseph C. Lance, 50 years of age, alias Borne, is under arrest here today on the charge of swindling more than a hundred persons out of a total of more than $60,000.

Lance was arrested on a warrant signed by Charles Churchill of Boston, who is registered at a local hotel. According to Churchill's story Lance under the name of Borne started a department store in Saco, Me., and is said to have arranged to get credit until he owed more than $60,000. Then it is alleged he overdrew his bank accounts, $4000 or $5000, and disappeared.

WITHOUT PAY

BOSTON OFFICIALS MUST WORK FOR NOTHING

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—There is wailing and gnashing of teeth at city hall these days and the cause of the woe is the discovery of another "flaw" in the new city charter.

Under a section of the charter the terms of the mayor, both branches of the city council and Street Commissioner Gallivan, whose terms would ordinarily have expired on Jan. 2, were extended to the first Monday in February, or Feb. 7. The same section provides that these officials shall, for the extended term, receive a compensation equal to one-twelfth of the annual salaries paid to them.

It was apparently figured that these officials would serve a month extra, and that they should be paid for a month extra.

Some of the close figurers at city hall, however, in poring over the question of time and pay have discovered that the charter framers have gotten the best of them. They figure that they will get paid extra for the month between Jan. 2 and Feb. 2. From this latter date to Jan. 7, however, they have discovered that they will not get paid, and what is worse they can't figure out any way that they can get paid for this time.

The extension of their terms and the compensation for the same they point out was provided for by legislative act, and they agree that the matter is thus settled. Mayor Hibbard alone will lose over $135 in salary.

OUR store closed all day tomorrow, owing to the death of our President and Treasurer, Mr. Chas. A. Mitchell,

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.

GIVEN SENTENCE

Lynch Drew His Bayonet on Officer

WORCESTER, Jan. 21.—Charged with using his bayonet in an effort to "stick" a Worcester policeman, while he was trying to make an arrest, Cornelius J. Lynch, aged 30, a member of the Wellington rifles, Co. H, 2nd regiment, as sentenced to serve four months in the house of correction yesterday by Judge Utley in the central district court.

The complainant was Patrolman Michael A. Powers, who testified that while he was arresting a drunken man at Webster square Saturday night, Lynch, who was dressed in his militia uniform, approached him and demanded that the prisoner be given his liberty, telling the officer that the prisoner was a friend of his and he would care for him.

Inasmuch as the man was under arrest, Officer Powers declined to give him up and he said that Lynch then drew his bayonet and made a lunge at him. The policeman drew his revolver and told Lynch he would shoot unless he put up his bayonet. Lynch dropped his weapon and then a conductor from a passing electric car was called by the officer to prevent further interference.

Lynch, who had taken part in the battle scene in the Grand Army production of "The Drummer Boy," and was on his way home from the theatre, admitted he drew his bayonet on the officer, saying he did so to show "he meant business" when he asked for the release of his friend.

Lynch appealed from the sentence, but as he could not provide the $200 bail ordered by the court, he was remanded to jail.

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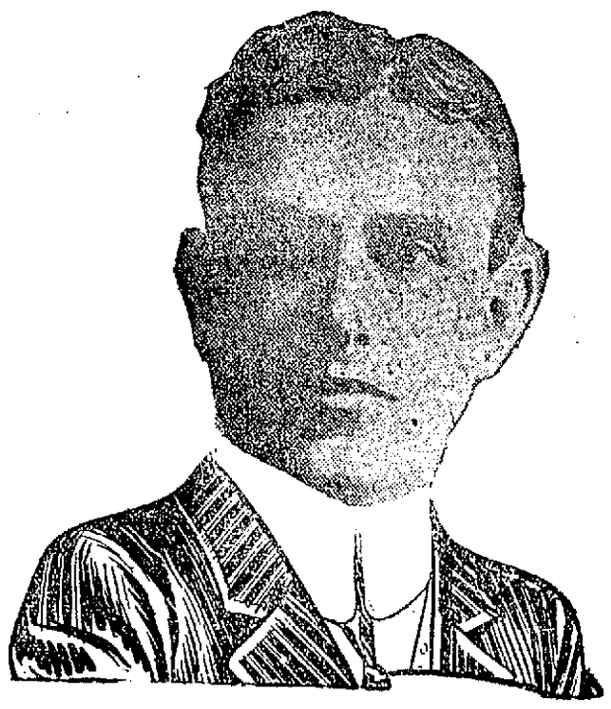
I Realize One Thing

Men will not buy Clothing as a general rule in January.

I say as a general rule. Here and there, however, there are exceptions. The question then with the business man, is to get more than his share of these exceptions. By getting a little more than his share, he beats out the dull season.

I have this dull season beaten to a batter. I have had to throw some extraordinary offerings to the careful buyer who really didn't need clothing now, but who bought when he saw those offerings. I have had to show by values to the man whose wants were more pressing, but I got his business.



Do You Realize One Thing?

Among the great number of men who responded to my Blue Serge offer for $12.50 one was a salesman from one of Lowell's Clothing houses, a man, by the way, who buys all his custom clothes from me. He wore his suit to his store. Right and left from all sides, the only criticism that could be made on the suit was Mitchell, nor no one else, can sell that suit for the money. He must be taking a loss on it during the dull season sale.

Do you realize that there is no dull season when a customer can walk into a store and get a suit like the one in question for the price I am charging?

Sir, do you think you need a suit now, yet if you came into my store and saw the suit you would leave an order for one. I know you would because all the other men who saw the goods ordered one. Risk an eye—see if I'm not right.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

SHOULD MILITARY DRILL BE COMPULSORY?

If it is opposition to real war that has induced some parents to oppose military drill in the high school, we think the opposition ill directed and bound to be barren of results. We admit that the parent should have the right to say whether his boy shall take up military drill at the high school, just as he should have the right to direct the boy's course of studies; but if the parent thinks that the military drill at the high school will turn any boy's head or fire his brain for experience in gory fields or even cause him to lead an expedition against the Indians, we believe he is greatly mistaken.

We believe, furthermore, he is mistaken in refusing to allow his boy to take the course in military drill—if the boy is able to stand the exercise.

Military drill as conducted at the high school is very valuable for discipline and physical exercise. In spite of this there are well founded objections to it on the ground of expense and other reasons, so that it would be wrong to make it compulsory on all high school students. Of course the state may have in mind the advantage of having a reasonable number of young men versed at least in the rudiments of military drill in case the country at any time should require their services. But the state militia exists to meet every such emergency, and in case of war we opine the volunteer who went no farther than the grammar school would be just as acceptable as the graduate of the high school who had taken the full course of military drill in the school regiment.

MR. OSGOOD AND THE PUBLIC HALL.

The speech of William N. Osgood before the Board of Trade on Wednesday evening was one of great public importance, one that was enthusiastically applauded by those who heard it and that appeals to the public spirit of our citizens.

Mr. Osgood spoke of the pressing need of a public hall, showing that the lack of a hall for public assemblies had injured the reputation of the city abroad and had resulted in street corner gatherings and rallies in violation of the ordinances.

Every sensible citizen will agree with Mr. Osgood in his expressed opinion as to the injury and inconvenience suffered by the city from the lack of a suitable hall for public assemblies.

Whether for political or other gatherings the public hall is greatly needed and should be built as soon as possible.

The people have voted in favor of the public hall. Mayor Meehan in his inaugural address urged the building of such a hall, and the citizens in general want it.

If the public hall would assist in doing away with the street brawling oratory, as Mr. Osgood alleges, one great step would have been taken in the direction of public order and decency by its early erection.

If any occasion arose on which it were necessary to call the citizens together in mass meeting, there is no hall nearly big enough for the purpose.

By adopting the right arrangement we can have a public hall that will be at least self-supporting. Then, why delay the work of selecting a site and getting ready to build as soon as the weather permits? If, as Mr. Osgood asserts, it is a matter that will benefit our city at home and improve its reputation abroad, why delay another hour in getting about the work?

TO PROTECT LONE ROOMERS.

The person who rooms alone in a lodging house, a boarding house or even in a hotel has to assume very serious chances of neglect in case of sudden illness, and this through no particular fault of the proprietors. It is the system that needs to be improved. Of course it would be unjust to condemn any of these classes of business people as lacking in kindness or the spirit of humanity that should induce them to make a reasonable effort to relieve the suffering of those who reside under their roof. The trouble is the suffering occurs without their knowledge.

Unfortunately many cases come to light from time to time to show that roomers in certain lodging houses may be stricken with sudden illness and spend several days alone in a room suffering intense pain, only to be relieved by death without a word of consolation, without the ministration of religion and without the charity of even a cup of cold water. We had a striking example of this a short time ago.

There seems to be something wrong in these conditions, something that calls for a remedy. On account of the character of our factory population a large proportion of them has to live in this way—rooming alone and boarding in the same or some other house. The woman who rooms alone, agreeing to keep her room in order, is usually secluded largely from the rest of the household and, therefore, most liable to be unattended if taken suddenly ill.

Would it be too much of a hardship to impose upon the proprietors of lodging houses, boarding houses or hotels to order that they shall see that no sick person shall lie unattended during illness in any of their rooms or apartments, and that if the case requires it, a doctor shall be called or the patient sent to a hospital? This is the very least that humane treatment demands, and it is reasonable to suppose that there would be little or no objection to any such regulation.

In the days of the old corporation boarding houses, no precaution such as here suggested would be necessary, but times, customs and even people have changed, and it is necessary in this, as in other matters, to deal with existing conditions as we find them. It behooves us to see that nobody shall die of want, or in the loneliness of a room in any hotel or lodging house.

The possibilities of neglect, suffering and consequent death to which we have referred can all be averted by proper regulation of hotels, lodging houses and boarding houses, and whatever regulation is needed in this direction should be provided as soon as possible so that nobody may be left to die of pneumonia or any other disease alone in a room without attendance of any kind, and so that no resident of Lowell, however humble, may ever have reason to exclaim:—

"Alas for the rarity
Of Christian charity
Under the sun."

SEEN AND HEARD

Here's an old one: If your father is three times as old as you are now, how long before your father will be but twice as old as you? What are your respective ages now and what will be your ages when your father is but twice as old as you?

That that is is and that that is not is not. Read this so as to make sense.

There is a "to," a "too" and a "two" in the English language. How would you say, in writing, that there are three such words in the English language?

How would you pronounce this word: "Mac-hin-ery?"

In view of the fact that the Riker-Jaynes Co. succeeded in getting a very favorable location in Salem for its business, it is rather interesting to know the means by which it has secured the lease of the best corner in the city of Worcester. The corner has been occupied for 58 years by the Eames clothing house and the firm renewed a lease of the present quarters only last October and for five years and yet, through court proceedings, the property is to be leased to the big drug concern for a period of 10 years at an average of over $20,000 a year, while $40,000 is to be expended as a starter in putting the corner in shape for the business. The Eames people thought their lease as good as gold, and thought they would still continue to do business at the old stand, but the courts ruled differently.—Salem News.

Whispered scandal always sounds like a stage whisper.

It's better to be lucky than to be superstitious about luck.

It's easy for a woman to fool a man who thinks he can't be fooled.

Give but little advice and applaud frequently if you would be popular.

It doesn't take much nerve to raise the deuce in a poker game.

Some invalids don't take electric treatment because they kick at the charge.

A man never knows how many friends he has until he gets into politics, nor how few he has until he gets out of office.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Charles T. King, the London Express parliamentary representative, has written the story of the parliament that recently came to an end, with vivid personal sketches. Mr. King, writing of Mr. Balfour, says:

"To my mind, the prince of parliament is Mr. Arthur Balfour. He is the man with the most winning personality in present politics. More than any other man, he is compact of delicate gentleness and fine fighting strength. His was the most exalted mind in the house of commons of 1906-9. He is the prince among politicians. He is at once the most detached man in the house of commons and the man with the most nimble grasp of the things going on in the house. He is the philosopher of modern British politics. He has the most subtle brain of all the splendid brains now in the fight . . .

"It is difficult to tell when it is that the house of commons—not a party, but the whole house of commons—admires him the more; on the one hand, when he is soaring away on some brilliant survey of the national position in a speech full of grace and fervor, of flexible eloquence, of fresh and sometimes bizarre illustration and of stabbing phrase, or, on the other hand, when he is making a detailed indictment."

Mr. Winston Churchill is realized with equal skill:

"There was one young man, with caustic tongue, shifty eyes, bent shoulders, marvellous gift of abuse and thin hair, a master of denunciation, who sat hunched up on the treasury bench, or stood wielding the party balancing-pole over the puzzles of Chinese labor, or bent forward making paper triangles. He was the brilliant "catch" of the liberal government. He knew the game. He was the last man even on this wideawake treasury bench, whom anybody would be likely to be fool enough to think they could deceive.

"He was above all things astute. He was one of the quickest men to see an opportunity and jump quickly. He had a way, so used was he to action and occupation, of beguiling waiting moments on the treasury bench by taking up some of the nation's stationery, spreading out one long sheet of foolscap, rolling it up into a hollow pipe, bending it in two places, fitting the two tube ends together and making a paper triangle.

"You could generally tell when he had been sitting on the treasury bench and whereabouts he had sat by the litter of torn and crumpled paper on the floor. There are men—I met one the other day—who are keeping paper triangles as mementos of this remarkable young man.

"He seemed to have large vats of staining liquor to give a new and disreputable tinge to his party opponents, to the men of the party of which he himself a few years before had been a fascinating and shining light. His name is Mr. Winston Churchill."

When H. B. Harris, the manager, proffered $25,000 to endow the teaching of playwriting at Harvard if nine other men would contribute like sums, Professor Baker, who instituted and conducts the course that the college now offers in that subject, sent him the following letter: "I have received newspaper clippings to the effect that you have generously offered $25,000 on the condition that nine other persons will contribute a like amount towards the founding and maintenance of the work in Harvard college in playwriting. May I ask if this report is correct? If so, I should like to see you as soon as possible in order that I may set about interesting the nine other givers. We do need badly just about the sum you named, for, unless a chair in the subject is endowed here, I much fear that in case anything happens to me the work might be run in very different fashion. What will make the work of permanent value will be an endowed chair under carefully specified conditions. I should hope that such a sum as you name might provide not only the endowed chair, but a building containing a small but perfectly equipped theatre, some room for conferences and lectures, and a small library of plays, dramatic prints, models of historical stages, and current publications of the drama in different languages." Mr. Baker has had his conversation with Mr. Harris, found the report to be true, and has begun, with fair token of ultimate success, "to interest other givers."

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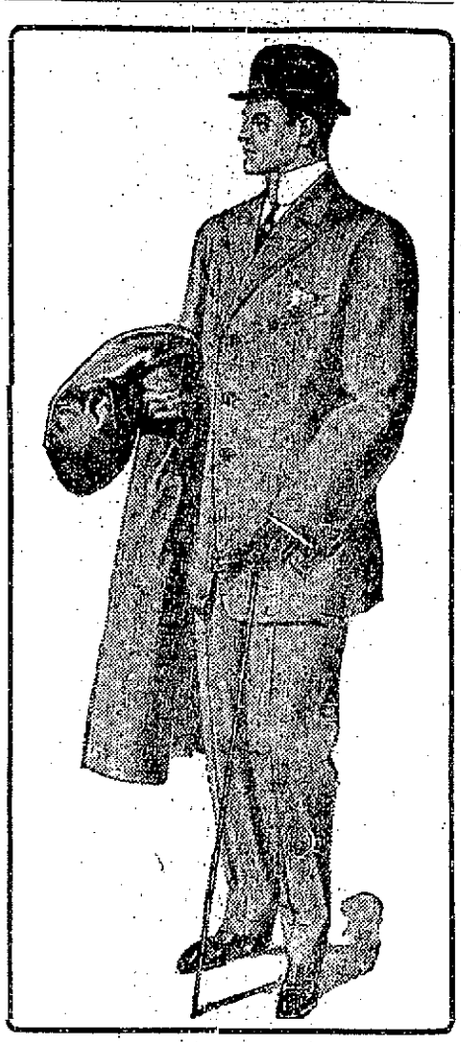

Men's and Young Men's Suits

Worth up to $14 for $7.50

We have taken all the small lots of suits from our men's stock that sold for $10, $12 and $14, and all of the young men's that sold up to $12 and marked them $7.50 to close. There is not an undesirable suit in the lot. It is good money in the pocket of any man or young man who gets in in this bargain.

$14 Suits for **$7.50**

Men's Winter Suits

Sold up to $23 for $15

We have added to our lots at $15, nearly 100 men's fine pure worsted and fancy cheviot suits that were $20 and $23, and young men's suits from Rogers-Peet that sold up to $25. The newest effects of the season. Every suit hand tailored, splendid fitting and the best values shown in town for $20 and up to $25. These lots now to close $15.

$23 Suits for **$15**

Men's Hand Tailored Winter Suits

Value up to $15 for $10

This lot embraces the most attractive patterns and best materials that we have ever offered for $10. Every coat has a hand-felled collar; every suit is new this season. The fabrics fancy worsteds and all wool cheviots—the fit is as good as in our most expensive lots. A few suits were $12 and $13, but the great majority of this collection are splendid $15 values—all $10.

$15 Suits for **$10**

Rogers, Peet & Co.'s Suits

Sold up to $28 for $20

This is a group of our finest suits, a majority of them made by Rogers' Peet & Co., the others from one of the finest manufacturers. The cream of the season's fabrics and patterns, strictly hand tailored throughout and equal in fit, finish, quality and style to expensive suits from merchant tailors—were $25 and $28, all now $20.

$28 Suits for **$20**

Our Overcoat Sale Has Been Great

No further MARK DOWN will be made. The limit of reduction in prices has been reached, but a few hundred coats to sell—and you'll never buy them for less than they are offered today.

$7.50 For ALL WOOL black kersey and black melton regulation OVERCOATS, nicely made and capitally trimmed, sold up to $12. And for fancy overcoats sold up to $12.

$12 For fancy overcoats, protector collars or regular lapels, that sold up to $18, a wonderfully attractive lot of styles in the most acceptable colors of the season.

$20 For ROGERS-PEET'S expensive tourist coats, all with silk shoulders, sold for $30. English storm coats, double breasts, sold for $28. Regulation overcoats of fine meltons and St. George kerseys, sold for $25.

$9.50 For fancy overcoats with military collars or regular lapels, neat and stylish fancy coatings and cheviots for men and young men, sold up to $13.

$15 For all of the fancy overcoats, single or double breast, regular lapel or military collar, sold up to $23. And two lots of regular overcoats sold up to $23.

$25 For ROGERS-PEET'S fine overcoats, black and oxford coatings, all with silk shoulders, sold up to $32.

$30 For ROGERS-PEET'S most expensive overcoats, all regulation make. 10 of these only, that sold for $40 and $45.

Our Semi-Annual Sale of Men's Shoes

We are ready now to "let go" of the Winter Shoes and clean house. You'll find some mighty good bargains in the lots advertised today—stylish, well made, comfortable shoes.

Men's Winter Shoes

$1.95

Sold for $3.00 and $3.50

Box Calf, Gun Metal Calf and Patent Colt; all excellent styles, representing at least a dozen lots. In the collection are all sizes, but the majority of this lot are 8 and larger. Bluchers that sold up to $3.50, now **$1.95**

Men's Winter Shoes

$2.85

Sold for $3.50 and $4.00

These are all this season's goods and the group embraces all of the small lots of Wax Calf, Box Calf, Gun Metal Calf, Velour Calf, Vici Kid and tan grain leather. Bluchers that we desire to close out—Special shoes made for us on the newest lasts, sold for $3.50 and $4.00, now **$2.85**

Hanan Celebrated Shoes, $5

Sold for $6.00 and $6.50

The best shoes that any man can put on his feet. Made from the finest leathers with specially tanned soles that prevent burning feet. Natural lasts that assure the wearer the greatest possible comfort. Bench made, like the most expensive custom shoes—We believe a Hanan Shoe to be the most comfortable and serviceable shoe that a man can buy. Today's price is made as an inducement to get men to try the best that money provides in shoes. Were $6 and $6.50, now **$5.00**

FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

Conference Held at Home of Dr. Stowell

Physicians Discuss the "White Plague" and How to Battle With It—Dr. Martin Tells of Local Health Conditions

The trustees and the physicians of the Lowell General hospital and a number of prominent men, who are interested in the fight against tuberculosis, were the guests last evening of Dr. Charles H. Stowell, chairman of the board of trustees, at his home in Fairmount street.

The object of the meeting was to arouse interest in the campaign against the white plague, and for an hour the gathering listened to addresses upon the subject.

In opening the meeting Dr. Stowell spoke of the work done at the tuberculosis camp connected with the Lowell General hospital.

At a recent hospital meeting, he said, the medical committee had presented such an interesting report concerning the work that it was thought advisable to have it read before a larger audience. Shorn of its statistics, it contained certain deductions and recommendations that he had asked Dr. George L. Van Deursen to read to this meeting.

Dr. Van Deursen then read the following synopsis of the report:

"In all there were 43 patients admitted during the past season, with an average attendence of something over one-half that number. Thirty-five of the patients gained in weight. Some of them as high as from 20 to 25 pounds. The committee says that while the season's report shows no brilliant cures, nor any startling innovations in the treatment of this dread disease, yet a careful study of the cases will impress more and more forcibly the fact that 'prevention is better than cure.'

"It is easier and far cheaper to fight an enemy outside the citadel than to dispossess him after he has gained a foothold. Few of these cases will come to the hospital or camp till failing strength, lost weight and the troublesome cough show the enemy firmly entrenched.

"To wage a successful warfare some means must be devised to reach these cases in an earlier stage. Experience of the past four years has shown that if these cases are to be materially benefited by such a camp as this, they must be seen earlier."

"Mr. Ayer has done a monumental work in providing such an establishment as this. Good work has been done, and still more can be done, but we can only reiterate, 'to obtain the greatest benefit from the facilities at hand, patients must be brought under observation earlier.' Every year your committee has tried to fill the camp with strictly incipient or only moderately advanced cases. Failing in this we have given the preference to cases a little further advanced, but still promising some hope of arresting if not curing the disease.

"Even with this liberal policy, and, thanks to Mr. Ayer's great generosity, providing care in the majority of cases without any expense to the patient, it has been difficult to keep the camp filled with desirable cases. Cases that are willing to come are too often too far advanced to obtain any permanent benefit or so far that their presence would prove a menace to other inmates of the camp.

"The educational value to the community of such an object lesson cannot be estimated, but of the 'great white plague' is to be stamped out, the fight must follow it into its breeding place—that is, the home.

"Tuberculosis is a house disease, and sanitary inspection, disinfection, compulsory notification of all cases, enforcement of the 'no spitting' laws and the destruction of sputa from all patients known to be tubercular are necessary if we would make any headway in this fight for prevention. The hearty co-operation of every physician in this city must be had.

"Notification of the health authorities need work no hardship on any patients, as the records of such cases need be open only to the proper officers, but suitable cases can be advised to go to a camp or sanitarium. The more advanced cases can be taught, (by district nurse or sanitary inspector) how to care for their sputum so that they may not be a menace to other members of the family or the community at large."

Dr. Cleveland Floyd

Dr. Cleveland Floyd of Brookline, closely identified with the work in Boston, was then introduced.

He said that the experience of the past years had shown that tuberculosis could be fought in three ways, by education, by isolation, and by the improvement of living conditions in the homes. The campaign of education had been pretty well carried on in all the large cities, and the public was generally aroused to the menace of the disease, and the fact that it could be coped with if taken in time. The matter of isolation had largely resolved itself into a question of finance. In New York there were 30,000 cases beyond the incipient stage, and it would require enough money to isolate them at a cost computed at $7.50 a bed. The question of improving living conditions was one that required more tact, and was one in which less progress had been made. This would surely have to be accomplished, however.

Speaking of the measures taken in Boston, Dr. Floyd gave some very interesting facts concerning the treatment of children at Franklin park, where children already attacked by the disease, but who can be cured, are housed and given schooling, summer and winter, with a remarkable improvement in every case. He said it is now proposed to have open air school rooms for children who show a tendency to develop the disease.

"Nothing less than an invasion of the home is necessary to check this disease," he continued. "Where a case is found in the last stages, the whole family must undergo an examination, for we frequently find two or three incipient cases among the other members."

Dr. James B. Field

Dr. James B. Field, president of the hospital staff, said that a camp was only one of several means of fighting the disease, and that there was much more to be done than Lowell was doing. He had just read an article by Dr. Floyd in which the latter made the surprising statement that one-third of the children in the public schools showed traces of tuberculosis in some form.

This suggested the importance of the work of a district nurse in the city. If a case of tuberculosis was discovered in the schools it was the duty of somebody to follow it into the home, study the conditions there, and see that the proper treatment was given. "We can do nothing for tuberculosis unless we have the co-operation of the board of health," he said in conclusion.

Dr. G. Forrest Martin

Dr. G. Forrest Martin of the board of health followed him. He said that while there were many problems that should receive the attention of the Lowell board of health, he had determined when becoming a member of the board to devote himself to two of them, the control of tuberculosis and the checking of infant mortality; which meant pure milk. The two went together, because improper nourishment of children was often the first step to tuberculosis. He told how the board last year had compiled a record of deaths from the disease in Lowell for five years, and how the startling discovery was made that certain infected tenements were breeding the disease. One tenement had a record of six deaths in five different families, which had followed one another in this tuberculosis incubator.

"This shows the absolute necessity of protecting people against themselves," he continued. "It became necessary at once to inspect the tenements, and we soon found ourselves up against the greed of certain landlords. We came across such things as a building four stories high housing 60 families. Dirt and darkness and dampness, the three worst factors to fight, are fostered by such conditions. We brought about some improvements and then began to make an inspection after each death, advising the family how to disinfect and protect itself against the danger of a spread of the disease. Now we have advanced still another step, and compel landlords to put their property into a safe condition following such deaths. We need hearty public support in this work. One landlord told us in cold blood that property of this sort that he had bought had paid for itself within five years. But the price of such an investment was the health of his tenants.

"I doubt if the first results of our efforts will reduce the death rate one per cent. We have only laid the foundation, and we must now build upon it. We have asked the city council for a special appropriation of $5000 to carry on the fight, and every physician should help us secure it."

Other Speakers

Charles Runels spoke a few words as a landlord, though not the type referred to by Dr. Martin. He said that sanitary conditions in tenement property were the most profitable in the long run, and that the board of health had it in its power to make other conditions always unprofitable. A campaign of education was very important, he believed, and should extend to tenants as well as landlords, since the latter often worked to bring about the conditions complained of.

Arthur G. Pollard closed the speaking, paying a high tribute to the generosity of Frederick Fanning Ayer in establishing the Lowell camp. He said that as a business man he was deeply interested in the campaign against the white plague.

The company then adjourned to the dining room, where they were most hospitably entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Stowell.

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$50.00 Pony Coats	$75.00 Near Seal Coats	$45.00 Caracul Fur Coats	$35.00 French Sable Coats	$50.00 Marmot Coats	$35.00 Pony Coats	$85.00 River Mink Coats
35.00	44.00	22.50	19.50	38.00	24.50	57.50
$35.00 Black Fox Sets	$15 and $18 Isabella Fox Shawls	$25.00 Black Opossum Sets	$15.00 Black New Lynx Sets	$3.50 Sable and Black Muffs	$60.00 Mink Sets	$30.00 Mink Muffs
12.50	6.98	12.75	7.50	98c	29.00	20.00
$25.00 Fox Shawls and Muffs	$18.00 Blue Wolf Sets	$15.00 Black Hare Sets	$10.00 Black and Sable Coney Sets	$18.00 Gray Squirrel Sets	$10.00 Caracul Sets	$25.00 Jap. Mink Sets
12.50	8.98	7.50	3.98	8.75	3.98	15.00

CLOTH COATS Were $3.98 $7.50 $11.50 $15.50 $19.75 — Now $1.98 $3.75 $5.00 $7.50 $9.75

SUITS Were $10.50 $14.50 $16.75 $18.50 $22.75 — Now $4.98 $6.98 $8.75 $9.98 $12.50

SKIRTS Were $2.98 $4.75 $5.98 $6.98 $8.75 — Now $1.98 $2.98 $3.75 $4.75 $5.95

Sweaters $1.59 and $2.49

Waists 37c, 89c, $1.25, $1.98, $2.98
Worth Double

CHILDREN'S COATS at Less Than Cost of Material

It Will Pay You to Examine Our Goods Before Buying

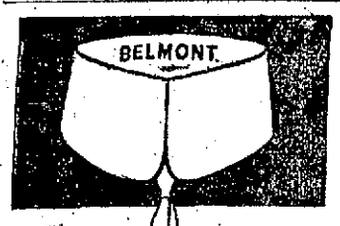
LARGE ESTATE

VALUED AT $1,000,000 LEFT TO ELMA DARE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 21.—Instead of cutting off Elma Dare, the woman who is now seeking to establish the legality of her alleged marriage to the late George Rhodius, he left her his entire estate valued at about $1,000,000, according to a will filed for probate yesterday.

The filing of the new will came as a surprise. By the codicil of a will filed previously Rhodius left $600,000 to the city of Indianapolis for parks. The remainder of Rhodius' fortune was distributed among friends and relatives. Miss Dare was cut off without a cent.

The filing of the will yesterday complicated the Rhodius case. After many legal contests the marriage of Elma Dare and Rhodius was annulled by the circuit court at Greenfield, Ind., it being held that Rhodius was of unsound mind when the ceremony took place. Elma Dare appealed the case to the supreme court, where it is now pending.



AN ARROW COLLAR

with the Ara-Notch in place of the bothersome buttonhole. 15c. each—2 for 25c.

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ARROW CUFFS, 25c. a Pair

PROTECTIVE TARIFF LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Representatives from 19 states attended the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the American protective tariff league here yesterday, and adopted a resolution, introduced by Henry B. Joy of Detroit, deprecating further tariff agitation, and objecting to the re-election of congressmen who were "enemies of protection" or "promoters of tariff disturbance and uncertainty."

The preamble of the resolution stated "that confidence had been restored, all branches of business have resumed their normal activity; labor is well employed, and a renewal of prosperity has been brought about" as the result of tariff revision.

Coughs cured with Lung Kuro—never fails. Get a bottle from the drug store.

HELD A COTILLION

A very pretty cotillion was held in Merrimack hall, Wednesday night under the auspices of the clerks in the office of the local branch of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. The interior of the hall was artistically decorated and the attendance was large.

The favors in the cotillion were jockey caps for the men and parasols for the ladies. Those who directed the party were: Misses Rooney, Jenkins, Maloney, Hill and Mary and Anna McCartin. The music was furnished by Gilmore's orchestra.

Hay's Hair Health

NEVER FAILS TO RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL COLOR AND BEAUTY.

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No matter how old and faded your hair looks, or how long you have been gray, it will work wonders for you, keep you looking young, promote a luxuriant growth of healthy hair, stop its falling out and **Positively Remove Dandruff.**

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Saturday, Great Bargains

In Trimmed and Untrimmed Millinery and Furs

$5.00, now $1.98

$10, now $4.98

$8.00, now $2.98

$3.00, now 98c

$1.98, now 98c

$1.48, now 48c

$15 Black Belgian Lynx Sets

Handsome, lustrous Fur Sets; large Rug Muffs and Russian Shawl Collars, trimmed with heads and tails; lined with fine shirred silk, only.

$7.98

FUR HATS

$8.00 and $10.00, now **$3.00 and $5.00**

GIVEN A BANQUET

Captains in Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Were Feted

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Hurd street, last night, a complimentary banquet was tendered the captains of the teams of the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign. Supper was served at seven o'clock and there were about 35 men present. During the supper hour there was music by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra and after the wants of the inner man had been catered to, F. A. Bowen, president of the association, called to order and thanked the men present for their cooperation in the recent campaign work. He said, however, that the officers of the association were still in need of help; they were looking to the committees for further aid and he said it would be great if that body of 300 men could be permanently organized.

Charles F. Fleming, chairman of the committee which secured the largest contribution, was the next speaker. He urged that every member of the committee of 300, if not already members of the Y. M. C. A. to become one at once and secure as many new members as he can. He said that it was absolutely necessary to get new members into the association, in order that the institution might be kept running until the new quarters are ready to be occupied. In order to move into the new building, money is needed to insure things running smoothly before the change is made, and the daily expenses of the institution must be met.

Frederick A. Flather thanked the team captains for their work, and reviewed some incidents of the campaign. Mr. Flather said that he would answer for the executive committee and was positive that they would each one take out a $10 membership. He thought that such a movement should work up from the bottom, however, and suggested that were the younger men to join, it would become incumbent upon the business men's committee, and after that the citizens' committee, also to join. The campaign for the new building should not stop here. It should develop into a great uplift for the entire city, in which not the higher state, but the whole mass should be raised.

Dr. Yarnell talked to the men about the advantages of joining the association, even in its present quarters. Several new classes have been added, and a man, the speaker asserted, would get his money's worth.

Among those present were F. A. Flather, F. A. Bowen, S. H. Thompson, Dr. Yarnell, J. A. Hunnewell, Stanley Qua, Craven Midgley, B. W. Wiggin, Rev. George E. Tomkinson, Albion F. Swanton, George H. Taylor, James Ramsay, Walter Booth, Burrey Pratt, Milo D. Clay, Charles Fleming and Stanley Crysler.

THE LOOMFIXERS

In Navy Yard Want to Retain 58 Hours' Pay

The loomfixers of the Merrimack Woolen mills are at odds with the management on the question of wages. The mill management refused to talk about the trouble. In fact Agent Morrison said he didn't know anything about it.

The five loomfixers went out yesterday afternoon. It seems that when the new 56 hour law went into effect their pay was cut accordingly and they received pay for 56 instead of 58 hours. The loomfixers wanted the 58 hour wage continued and argued that other mills conforming to the 56 hour law did not reduce the wages of the loomfixers. There are 150 looms to look after. It is expected that the matter will be adjusted without any further trouble.

HIGH ST. CHURCH

HELD ITS ANNUAL PARISH SUPPER LAST NIGHT

The annual parish supper of High Street Congregational church was held in the church vestry last night. There were about 250 people present. An excellent supper was served and it was followed by the usual flow of eloquence. William H. G. Wight was moderator and introduced Robert F. Marden as toastmaster, Mr. Marden called upon Major Charles A. Stott, Rev. N. W. Matthews of the Gorham Street P. M. church, Deacon Edward W. Clark, Rev. James E. Gregg of Kirk Street Congregational church and Rev. Allan C. Ferrin, pastor of High street church.

Major Stott spoke of the church situation in the city 60 years ago and compared it to the conditions today. Sixty years ago there were 25,000 Protestants in the city and 14 churches. He quoted Rev. Mr. Kenngott as saying that there are now in the city about 25,000 Protestants and 53 churches and missions. The major wanted to know what had best be done about it. He maintained that the time would come when Lowell Protestant churches should seek unification.

Rev. Mr. Matthews urged greater interest in church, city, state and national affairs, and he declared it was a matter, for shame that in Boston over $100,000 could be spent by one man to be elected mayor, when charities in Lowell and in Massachusetts were in such dire need of funds. Deacon E. W. Clark gave some interesting reminiscences of the church in its past 80 years. Rev. Mr. Gregg gave a talk on what the true meaning of the church is and what its strong points are. Rev. Mr. Ferrin was the last speaker.

The choir sang twice and there were solos by Warren T. Reid and Mrs. H. N. Peabody.

Before the gathering closed there were resolutions of sorrow and sympathy adopted on the death of Mrs. C. W. Huntington.

RECOUNT ENDED

IT SHOWED A CHANGE OF BUT 13 VOTES

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—A change of but 13 votes in the plurality given Mayor-elect John F. Fitzgerald resulted from the recount of the mayoralty vote of Boston cast last week Tuesday, which was completed last night. The plurality of 1415 was reduced to 1402, a net gain of 13 votes being found in the recount for James J. Storrow, the defeated candidate. Mayor George A. Hibbard gained six votes, while Nathaniel H. Taylor's total was unchanged.

The recount of the vote for nine members of the common council resulted in no change.

The recount of the mayoralty vote was asked for by both Mr. Storrow and Mr. Fitzgerald.

SHUT DOWN WORK

KINGSTON, N. Y., Jan. 21.—Rather than pay wages paid by independent dealers, the American Ice Co. declined to accede to demands of laborers, who demand $2.50 per day, and shut down work at all its houses in Kingston and Glasco.

Madam, Would You Like a Healthy Complexion?

The rosy cheeks, red lips, and bright sparkling eyes of natural healthy beauty is the only kind that charms. Lotions, washes, paints and powders deceive no one. The real Beauty of Health comes only with pure rich blood. What makes pure red blood? Why, your stomach, liver and bowels all working right. Dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and biliousness will ruin any complexion. To get rid of these and have the Beauty of Health, the only real Beauty, take Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills. They invigorate the blood, strengthen the nerves, and the skin becomes rosy and red, showing the circulation is normal and active as Nature intended it should be. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

To Cure Constipation Biliousness and Sick Headache in a Night, use

60 Pills in Glass Vial 25c.—All Dealers.

SMITH'S BUCHU LITHIA KIDNEY PILLS For Sick Kidneys Bladder Diseases, Rheumatism, the one best remedy. Reliable, endorsed by leading physicians; safe, effectual. Results lasting. On the market 16 years. Have cured thousands. 100 pills in original glass package, 50 cents. Trial boxes, 50 pills, 25 cents. All druggists sell and recommend.

A LITTLE RED SPOT

Novel Experiment By Which It May Be Made to Disappear

A peculiar feature about poslam, the new skin discovery, is that no one is asked to buy it without first sending to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, for an experimental sample and applying same to an affected part of the skin, about the size of a silver dollar. It will clear the spot so treated in twenty-four hours—a remarkable visual demonstration of its powers.

While poslam has been mentioned principally in connection with the cure of eczema, the most stubborn of skin diseases, it must be remembered that when used for itch, hives, pimples, blotches, acne, itching feet, scaly scalp, chafing of infants and similar minor skin troubles its action is all the more pronounced, results being seen after an overnight application. As only a small quantity of poslam is necessary to cure such cases, a special fifty-cent package usually sufficient, has been placed on sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's, and other leading drug stores in Lowell and throughout the country.

MRS. BELMONT

TO STUMP STATE FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont has decided to stump the state for woman suffrage. The itinerary will include the large cities and towns like Binghamton, Syracuse, Elmira and Buffalo, and will begin next week. Mrs. Belmont will be accompanied by the Rev. Anna Shaw, the national president.

BILLERICA

The recently elected officers of Talbot lodge, N. E. O. P., were installed at a meeting held Wednesday night. The installation was conducted by Deputy Grand Warden N. S. Davis and suite, and those installed were as follows:

Junior past warden, Clarence A. Bowman; warden, Francis A. D. Singhi; vice warden, Stephen W. Stackpole; secretary, Mrs. Ida M. Brown; financial secretary, Mrs. Isabel J. Benson; treasurer, T. Frank Lyons; chaplain, Mrs. Alice McDermott; guide, Alfred J. Strickland; guardian, Herbert M. Kendall; sentinel, Ora E. Bohonon; trustee for three years Frank S. Bartlett.

At the conclusion of the exercises, D. G. W. Davis, in behalf of the lodge, presented the retiring warden, C. A. Bowman, a past warden silver badge and a fitting response was made by the recipient.

After the close of the meeting all adjourned to the banquet hall, where 100 covers were laid, and enjoyed a bountiful supper, consisting of oysters, cakes, pies and coffee. Speeches were made by the grand officers and visitors. A very good time was enjoyed by all.

An enjoyable sleighride party was held Wednesday night by about 25 young people of the town. The destination of the merrymakers was Bedford, and after enjoying the ride to Bedford and back, supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Allen in Wilson street, after which a musical and literary program was carried out. The following numbers were rendered: Piano selections, Charles Ritchie, Miss Hilda Perry; duet, Misses Maud and Doris Ellis; selection by John T. Stott and Miss Sarah Stott; solo, Miss Anna McCusker; recitation, Miss Grace Hull. The chaperons were Misses Agnes Allen, Cecil Manning, Jessie Allen; Frank Mullen, toastmaster. Those in charge were Misses Bessie Allen, Grace Hull and Anna McCusker.

AMERICANS AT COURT

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—The emperor and empress held a court at the palace last night. The number of American presentations was unusually large. In the ambassadorial party were Ambassador and Mrs. David Jayne Hill, Miss Katherine Hill, Cyrus W. Wicker, of New York, acting as Mr. Hill's private secretary; Joseph C. Grew, second secretary of the embassy, and Mrs. Grew; Captain Samuel G. Sharle, military attache, and Mrs. Sharle, Gustave Scholle, third secretary, and Mrs. Scholle.

CHARGES OF FRAUD

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Fifty property holders, notaries and real estate agents were examined yesterday in the investigation begun by the state's attorney in the alleged "kiting" of real estate deals, which the Chicago and Western Indiana railroad in a civil suit declared it was defrauded out of $850,000. The charge is made by the road against Benjamin Thomas, former president of the road, and John C. Fetzer and Chas. R. Kappes, both of whom handled much of the company's real estate business.

Special Bargains for Friday and Saturday

—IN—

Tailored and Lawn Waists

98c WAISTS 49c

Soiled and counter mussed Waists, also a few discontinued styles, all reduced to ..... Clearance Price 49c

$1.50 AND $1.98 WAISTS 98c

Entire stock of $1.50 Waists reduced to 98c. Among these are some $1.98 and $2.98 Waists..... Clearance Price 98c

ALL OU RBETTER WAISTS ARE REDUCED FOR A QUICK CLEARANCE AS WE TAKE STOCK FEB. IST.

$12.50-$15.00 TAILORED SUITS $19.98

If you can find your size in this lot of suits you will be well paid for your trouble. These suits were our model and high priced suits. This is a special reduction for Friday and Saturday.

Clearance Price $19.98

An Actual Reduction of 10 per cent. Made on All Fur Coats Bought Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' Dept. Second Floor

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Glasses Made and Repaired

232 MERRIMACK ST., LOWELL

LOWELL, FRIDAY, JANUARY 21, 1910.

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

THE UNUSUAL BARGAINS which are evident at these Department Clearance Sales are forcible reminders that when this store starts out to make "Clearance Sale prices" we offer values that mean to our customers the greatest savings they can find.

Jewelry and Silverware

STERLING SILVER GOODS

Cloth Brushes, reg. price $3.75, sale price.....$2.75
Cloth Brushes, reg. price $3.25, sale price.....$2.25
Hat Brushes, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Curved Hat Brushes, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Curved Hat Brushes, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Brush and Comb, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$3.50
Brush and Comb, bead pattern, reg. price $9.00, sale price.....$6.50
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Whisk Brooms, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Whisk Brooms, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Silver Top Tooth Brush Holders, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....69c
Silver Top Tooth Powder Holders, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Silver Top Tooth Powder Holders, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Silver Top Large Cold Cream Jar, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Silver Top Large Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 98c, sale price.....75c
Silver Top Small Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 89c, sale price.....69c
Silver Top Small Cold Cream Jar, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Napkin Rings, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.50
Napkin Rings, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Napkin Rings, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....75c
Shaving Brushes, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Bon Bon Tongs, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Vases, reg. price $2.25, sale price.....$1.75
Nursery Sets, reg. price 75c, sale price.....50c
Men's and Women's Combs, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.25
Nail Polishers, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....$1.25
Shoe Horn and Files, reg. price 85c, sale price.....69c
Files, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Files, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
Files, reg. price 50c, sale price.....39c
Shaving Soap Holder, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Manicure Scissors, reg. price $2.00, sale price.....$1.50
Embroidery and Manicure Scissors, reg. price $1.50, sale price $1.25
Embroidery Scissors, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Manicure Scissors, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Sewing Scissors, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
Grape Scissors, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.25

GERMAN SILVER GOODS

Manicure and Brush, comb and mirror set, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $7.50, sale price.....$5.50
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $6.75, sale price.....$5.00
Brush, Comb and Mirror Sets, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.00
Military Brushes, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.00
Card Cases and Purse, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....50c
Ebony Finish Brush and Comb, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....75c
Fancy Brush and Comb Sets, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....69c
Scissors with Shields, reg. prices 89c and $1.25, sale prices 69c and 75c

JEWELRY

Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $5.50, sale price.....$3.50
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $4.50, sale prices....$3.00 and $3.25
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $4.00, sale price.....$2.75
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.25
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.00
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....$1.00
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....75c
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....65c
Buckles and Belt Pins, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale price.....25c

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Trinket Trays, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Fobs, reg. prices $1.25 and $1.50, sale price.....89c
Ash Trays, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c
Belt Pins, reg. prices $1, $1.25 and $1.50, sale prices 75c, 89c and 98c
Belt Pins, reg. prices $1.75 and $1.89, sale price.....$1.25
Bar Pins, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....89c
Bar Pins, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
Hat Pins, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
No duplicates in this lot—every piece is exclusive.

JET JEWELRY

Hair Barrettes, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Shirt Waist Sets, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Bar Pins, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Collar and Bar Pins, reg. price 25c, sale price.....19c
Dull Jet Back and Side Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....75c
Jet Top Braid Pins, reg. price 50c, sale price.....25c
Gun Metal Trimmed Combs, reg. prices $4.50 and $5.50, sale prices $1.00 and $1.75

(Dull Jet, Coral and Blue.)

Dog Collars, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale prices.....25c and 50c
Collar Buttons, reg. prices 60c dozen, sale price.....25c dozen
Lace Pins, assorted shades, reg. price 10c card, sale price.....5c card
Fans, fancy wood fans, reg. prices 29c, 50c and 75c, sale prices 23c, 39c and 55c
White Fans, reg. price 50c, sale prices.....25c and 35c
White Fans, reg. price 75c, sale price.....59c
White Fans, reg. price $1.00, sale prices.....65c and 69c
White Fans, reg. price $1.50, sale price.....98c

COMBS

Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $4.50, sale price $3.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $3.25, sale price $2.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price $2.25
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $2.00, sale price $1.50
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $1.50, sale price.. 98c
Shell and Amber Carved Back Combs, reg. price $1.00, sale price 69c
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $6.75, sale price $4.25
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price $4.00
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $4.50, sale price $3.25
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $4.00, sale price $3.00
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $4.00, sale price $2.25
Shell and Amber Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price $1.98
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price.....$3.75
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.25, sale price.....$3.50
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$3.00
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.50, sale price.....$2.50
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.25
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$1.98
Gray Jeweled Back Combs, reg. price $2.50, sale price.....$1.50
Hair Barrettes, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Coronet Hair Pins (3 in set), reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$2.25
Coronet Hair Pins (3 in set), reg. price $2.00, sale price.....$1.50
Hair Pins (3 in box), reg. price 25c box, sale price.....10c box

Leather Goods, Novelties and Bags

Telephone Registers, reg. prices 50c, 75c, 98c, sale prices 30c, 35c, 59c and 69c
Stamp Boxes, reg. prices 15c, 19c, 50c, sale price.....5c, 10c and 25c
Jewel and Watch Cases, reg. price 50c, sale price.....25c
Jewel Boxes, reg. prices 25c, 50c, 89c, $1, sale prices 19c, 35c, 65c, 75c
Pocket Toilet Cases, reg. prices 25c and 39c, sale prices...19c and 29c
Twine Boxes, reg. prices 50c, sale price.....35c
Work Boxes, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices.....10c and 25c
Playing Cards and Case, reg. price 25c, sale price.....15c
Bridge Whist Cases, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....25c
Address and Engagements, reg. price 50c, sale price.....35c
Pocket Match Boxes, reg. price 25c, sale price.....19c
Watch Bracelets, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale price.....25c
Daily Menu and Wants, reg. prices 50c and 75c, sale prices 35c and 50c
Hasty Lines, reg. prices 39c, 50c, 89c, sale prices.....29c, 35c, 69c
Bill Folders, reg. prices $1.25, $3.00, $3.25, $4.25, sale prices 89c, $2.25, $2.75, $2.98
Bank Clerk's Check Holders, reg. prices $1.75, $2.75 and $3.25, sale prices.....$1.25, $2.00, $2.25
Medicine Cases (damaged), reg. prices $4 and $4.50, sale price $1.98
Desk Pads, reg. price 75c, sale price.....25c
Letter Holders, reg. price 98c, sale price.....35c
Novel Holders, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....50c
Post Card Albums, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices....19c and 35c
Wellesley Bags, reg. prices 75c, $1 and $1.50, sale prices 35c, 50c, 75c
Wellesley Bags, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices.....10c and 25c

Brass Goods

Desk Sets, reg. price $12.00, sale price.....$9.50
Desk Sets, reg. price $8.50, sale price.....$7.00
Desk Sets, reg. price $5.75, sale price.....$4.50
Desk Sets, reg. price $4.50, sale price.....$3.50
Brass Rulers, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....75c
Brass Inks, reg. prices 75c, $1.00 and $1.50, sale prices 59c, 75c, $1.25
Brass Stamps, reg. price 85c, sale price.....69c
Brass Letter Clips, reg. price $1.25, sale price.....98c
Brass Library Scissors, reg. prices 50c, $1, $1.50, $1.75, $2 and $2.25, sale prices.....35c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
Picture Frames, reg. price 50c, sale price.....39c
Medallion Frames, reg. prices 25c and 50c, sale prices....19c and 35c
China Frames, reg. price 75c, sale price.....49c
Leather Bags, reg. price $1.75, sale price.....98c
Leather Bags, reg. price $1.00, sale price.....59c
Strap Pocket Book, real seal, reg. price $3.00, sale price.....$1.89
Pocketbooks, reg. prices $2.00 and $3.25, sale prices..$1.00 and $1.98
Card Cases, reg. prices $2.00 and $2.50, sale price.....75c

Clearance Sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases

PILLOW CASES

One lot Extra Heavy Cotton, 42 and 45x36, worth 12½c. Clearance sale price 8c
750 doz. Pillow Cases, assorted brands of cotton such as "Dwight Anchor," Fruit, Atlantic, etc., size 45x36, worth 17c. Clearance sale price 12½c
400 dozen Pillow Cases, made of extra fine firm cotton, 42, 45 and 50x38½, and tubing cases, 45x40½, worth 22c. Clearance price 15c

SHEETS

One lot 81x90, made of seamless, extra heavy cotton, slightly soiled, worth 50c. Clearance price 35c
One lot Granite State Sheets, large size, three and one inch hems, seamless, worth 63c. Clearance sale price 49c
One lot Extra Quality Harvard Mills Sheets, 81x90, three and one inch hems, worth 75c. Clearance sale price 59c
One lot, made of the celebrated "Dwight Anchor" cotton, size 90x108, worth $1.10. Clearance price 79c
"Fruit of the Loom" Sheets. Everybody knows this famous brand of cotton. Prices quoted below are less than the cotton can be bought for today. Size 81x90, worth 95c, at 75c; size 81x99, worth $1.05, at 85c; size 90x99, worth $1.15, at 95c; size 90x108, worth $1.25, at $1.05.

In Our Men's Underprice Furnishing Dept.

PALMER STREET BASEMENT

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, good, heavy garments, 45c value. Clearance sale price..... 25c
Men's Heavy Jersey Ribbed Underwear, ecru, blue, brown and silver, in all size garments, made to retail at 50c. Clearance sale price 38c
Men's Extra Heavy Fleeced Underwear, single and double breasted, heavy and warm garments, 45c value. Clearance sale price 29c each
Extra Heavy Fleeced Men's Underwear, single and double breasted, nice warm garments, worth 50c. Clearance sale price..... 38c
Boys' Jersey Ribbed Underwear, good warm garments, worth 25c. Clearance sale price 17c

MEN'S AND BOYS' NEGLIGE SHIRTS

Men's Negligе Shirts, made of new spring patterns of cheviot and madras, 50c value. Clearance sale price..... 43c
Men's Negligе Shirts, made of fine printed cheviots, 45c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Negligе Shirts, odd lots of 45c and 50c shirts. Clearance sale price 25c
Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good new style cheviot, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Natural Wool Underwear, 59c value. Clearance sale price 42c
Heavy Natural Merino Underwear, 50c value. Clearance sale price 42c
Men's Natural and Camel's Hair Wool Underwear, single and double breasted, odd lots, worth from 69c to $1. Clearance sale price 49c
Boys' Extra Heavy Underwear, 50c value. Clearance sale price.. 29c
Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear, good and warm garments, 25c value. Clearance sale price 18c
About 12 dozen Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good white corded madras, 50c value. Clearance sale price..... 25c
Boys' Negligе Shirts, made of good fast color cloth, odd lot of 45c quality. Clearance sale price 15c

MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS

Men's Heavy Sweaters, good heavy quality, plain oxford and colored facing; also white; $1.00 value. Clearance sale price..... 79c
Men's Oxford Coat Sweaters, heavy garments, 75c value. Clearance sale price 59c
Boys' Coat Sweaters, plain oxford and colored facing, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c

MEN'S HOSE

Men's Wool and Cashmere Hose, all colors, 25c value. Clearance sale price 19c
Men's Fine Cashmere Hose, black, oxford, brown and natural, 19c value. Clearance sale price 15c
Men's Heavy Cotton Hose, black and tan, 12½c value. Clearance sale price 7½c
Men's Cashmere Hose, seconds of 15c value. Clearance sale price 5c pair
Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas with gold, silver and horn handles, $1.00 value. Clearance sale price 79c
200 Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, good covering and fancy handles, 79c value. Clearance sale price..... 59c
Men's Police and Fancy Braces, samples of the 35c to 50c values. Clearance sale price ..... 25c pair
Men's Police and Fancy Braces, 25c value. Clearance sale price 15c pair
Men's Handkerchiefs, 5c value. Clearance sale price..... 2c
Men's Working Shirts, black sateen and cheviots, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Overalls, made of best Otis checks, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Men's Blue Denim Overalls, well made, worth 50c. Clearance sale price 39c
Men's Rubberized Coats, $5.00 value. Clearance sale price.....$3.00
Men's Pants, made of good wool and worsted cloth, $2.50 value. Clearance sale price $1.69
Men's Pants, made of good, heavy material, worth $2.00. Clearance sale price $1.19

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Boys' Russian Overcoats, made of good oxford cloth, $1.50 value. Clearance sale price 98c
Boys' Russian Overcoats, made of good fancy wool cloth and red, $2.50 value. Clearance sale price $1.69
Boys' Russian Overcoats, made of extra good material and nicely trimmed, $5.00 value. Clearance sale price..... $3.00
Boys' Reefer Overcoats, made in the newest styles and good wool material in brown, gray and olive, $4.00 value. Clearance sale price $2.50
Boys' Reefer Overcoats, made of the best cloth, serge and flannel lining, $4.50 and $5.00 values. Clearance sale price..... $3.00
Boys' Auto Coats, made of good heavy wool material, $5.00 and $6.00 values. Clearance sale price $3.00
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good dark material and well worth $2.50. Clearance sale price $1.59
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good worsted and wool material, $4.00 value. Clearance sale price $2.50
Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of extra good worsted in the very latest colorings, $5.00. Clearance sale price $3.00
20 dozen Boys' Blouses, made of good gingham, cheviot and madras, 25c value. Clearance sale price 15c
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good strong material and tape seams. 75c value. Clearance sale price..... 59c

HATS AND CAPS DEPARTMENT

Men's Winter Caps, fur lined, worth 75c to $1.00. Clearance sale price 39c
Men's and Boys' Winter Caps, 25c and 35c value. Clearance sale price 19c
Odd lots of Men's Winter Caps, worth 25c. Clearance sale price 10c
Men's Winter Hats with fur inside band, 75c value. Clearance sale price 20c
Children's Polo Caps, 50c value. Clearance sale price..... 35c
Men's Winter Caps, outside fur band, $1.00 value. Clearance sale price 79c
Men's Soft Hats, black, brown, green and gray, $2.00 value. Clearance sale price $1.19
Men's Derby Hats, all new shapes in black and brown, $2.00 value. Clearance sale price $1.19
Men's Derby Hats, black and brown, $1.50 value. Clearance sale price 89c
Men's Soft Hats, odd lot of the $1.50 and $2.00 quality. Clearance sale price 70c
Men's Soft Hats, odd lots of the $1.00 and $1.50 quality. Clearance sale price 50c
Children's Toque and Stocking Caps, 50c value. Clearance sale price 35c
Children's Tam o' Shanters, 25c value. Clearance sale price..... 10c

PALMER STREET BASEMENT

Toilet Goods

Rickseeker Violet Toilet Water, reg price 75c, sale price..... 50c
Parker's Cream, reg. price 25c, sale price..... 17c
Usa Rose Balm, reg. price 25c, sale price.....10c, 3 for 25c
Tooth Brushes, reg. price 25c, sale price..... 15c
Tooth Brushes, reg. price 15c, sale price.....10c
Rachel White Safety Syringe, reg. price $3.49, sale price.....$1.39
Health Syringe, reg. price $5.00, sale price.....$4.25
Fountain Syringes, reg. price $1.25, sale price..... 98c
Brush and Comb Sets, reg. prices $1 and $1.25, sale prices 75c and 89c
Hand Painted Baby Sets (4 pieces), reg. price $2.00, sale price..$1.25
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price $4.50, sale price.....$2.98
Pair Military Brushes, reg. price 50c, sale price..... 39c
Wood Back Round Mirrors, reg. price 89c, sale price..... 59c
Oval White Celluloid Mirrors, reg. price $1.25, sale price..... 89c
Round Mirrors, amber and ebony finish, reg. price $1.50, sale price $1
Pocket Hair Brush and Comb, reg. price $1.50, sale price..... 50c

WEST SECTION LEFT AISLE

OVER THE BORDER

N. H. Inmates Shipped From Tewksbury

Inmates of the Massachusetts state almshouse at Tewksbury, if they tell the superintendent they hail from New Hampshire, are supplied with a ticket for this state, but it reads only to the first getting off place over the line, which happens to be Nashua, writes the Nashua correspondent of the Manchester (N. H.) Union. The Tewksbury authorities evidently think that the walking up here at this season is so fine that the convalescing invalids from their hospital prefer that method of locomotion. Such a state of affairs was inferred from the story told by a negro who applied the other night for lodging at the police station. He said that he belonged in Manchester, but on his discharge the Tewksbury officers gave him a ticket only to Nashua. He told the police that all inmates of the institution from New Hampshire are ticketed to Nashua.

George Corbett, who says he belongs in Boston and escaped from Tewksbury, has been in town for three days and appeared to be getting feebler each day. Last night he appeared at the station house suffering from a very bad cold. City Physician P. J. McLaughlin and County Physician C. B. Hammond were called and declared the man was suffering from a pronounced case of grip. He was shipped back to Tewksbury.

GEORGE CASPER DEAD

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—George Casper, a member of the exploring party of Sir Henry Stanley on his last trip to Africa, died last night of paralysis. Gasper lived in Indianapolis for 25 years. During the last few years of his life he kept a grocery store.

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Do not judge these fabrics by their little price. Worth more than we sell them at. Materials are all right and are good quality—the wonder is how they can be made so good without swelling the cost. Value 50c yard. Sale 39c

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Consisting of all wool Surah Suiting, in all new colors, Parina, Batiste Veiling, Odessa in plain, stripes and checks, in a great variety. Also Shepherd checks, black and white effects. They are always new and never go out. Sale 49c

Black All Wool Parina

Black Parina, 44 inches wide, is one of the standbys for general knockabout wear. Also all wool, black chiffon Panama. An all the time favorite—the kind that sheds the dust. Both fabrics are bright, rich blacks. Value $1. Sale 75c

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A great variety of the most approved designs and color mixtures, including the new stripes and plaids, especially adapted for skirts or full costumes. Here is where you may count substantial savings. 47 to 55 inches wide. Sale 98c

German Broadcloth

Manufactured from pure, high grade, double combed yarns, beautiful, rich finish, in this season's most favored weight. All the newest staple colors and black, 50 inches wide. Two qualities on sale today. Value $1.25 to $1.75. Sale .....$1 and $1.25

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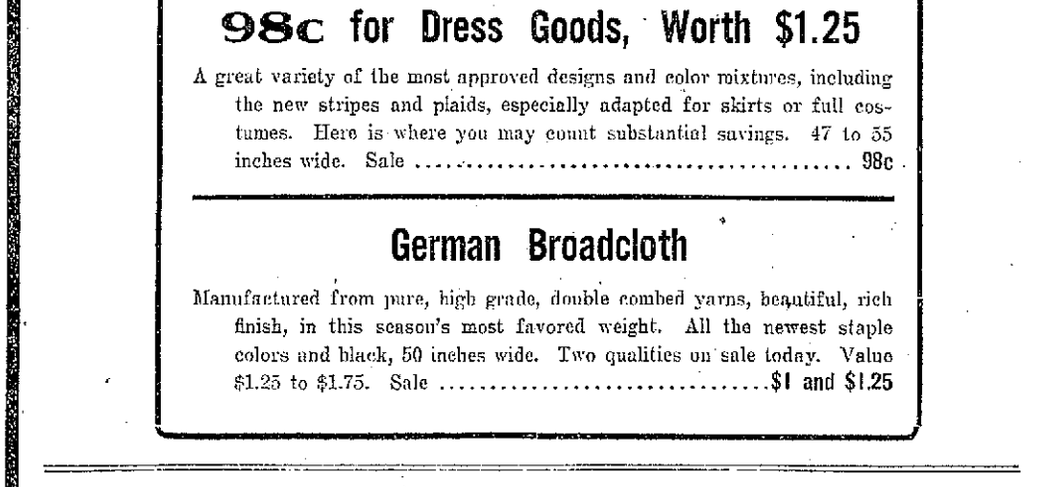

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Epsom Salts, lb	8c
Ess. Pepsin, 1-2 pt	50c
Castor Oil, pt	30c
Pure Glycerine, pt	40c
Rose Water, pt	45c
Sugar Milk, lb	20c
Flaxseed Meal, lb	8c
Jam. Ginger, 1-2 pt	40c
Rochelle Salts, lb	40c
Cod Liver Oil, qt	85c
100 Quinine Capsules	50c
Spirits Camphor, 1-2 pt	30c
Ext. Witch Hazel, pt	20c
100 Blaud's Pills	14c
Cream Tartar, lb	33c
Comp. Licorice Powd., lb	33c
Paregoric, 1-2 pt	30c
Sol. Carbolic Acid, pt	20c
100 2-gr. Quinine Pills	14c
Phosphate Soda	19c
Turpentine, pt	15c
Spirits Nitre, 1-2 pt	30c
Boracic Acid, lb	25c
Wood Alcohol, pt	20c
Powdered Alum, lb	10c
Household Ammonia, pt	10c
Kafeo Powders	20c
Oil Wintergreen, oz	30c
Flexible Collodion	25c
Colonel Tabs. (100)	25c
Powdered Borax, lb	11c
Baking Soda, lb	10c
Glycerine Suppos	25c
Cod Liver Oil, qt	85c
Chloride Lime, 1 lb	10c

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REMEMBER—We have the goods as well as the prices. No one can offer as good value for the money as HALL & LYON CO. Our Immense Buying Power, coupled with Good Judgment and Experience, enables us to sell you the best goods at Remarkably Low Prices. Not merely half a dozen items as bait, but everything at uniform lowest cut prices.

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Candy Specials

40c Quality Chocolate Raspberry Jellies For 29c Lb.

Don't forget that 40c worth of BARR'S ORIGINAL SATURDAY CANDY For 29c Lb.

We receive fresh shipments each week of FENWAY, LIGGETT'S, HUYLER'S, SCHRAFFT'S, LOWNEY'S, BAKER'S, REPUTATION, NECCO And every other good brand.

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$1.25 Adams' Hair Brush	95c
25c Hovey's Tooth Powder	17c
25c Lyon's Tooth Powder	19c
25c Rubifoam	18c
35c Rexall Almond Cream	25c
50c Hinds' Almond Cream	34c
50c Pompeian Cream	33c
$1.25 H. & L. Hair Brush	87c
75c Bath Brush	39c
$1 Rubber Sponge	59c
50c Ascension Violet Cream	35c
25c Sozodont	17c
75c Turkish Bath Towels	50c
75c Harmony Cold Cream	59c
25c Colgate's Dental Cream	21c
25c Cuticura Soap	18c
5c Face Cloths	3 for 10c
15c Palm Olive Soap	9c
50c Imported Bay Rum, pt	39c
75c Perfume (All odors) oz	50c

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Is as complete as time, money and experience can make it. The elaborate interior system and the safeguards we have thrown about the compounding of prescriptions to prevent errors are well nigh perfect.

In every detail the greatest care has been exercised to bring this most important factor of our business to a point where it is impossible to better it. Test this service.

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$1.00 Rexall Mucu-tone	89c
$1.00 Peruna	71c
$1.50 Fellow's Syrup	98c
$1.00 Rexall Wine C. L. Oil	89c
75c Mellin's Food	55c
$1.00 Alkalol	69c
$1.00 Angier's Emul	71c
$1.00 Pierce's Fav. Presc	79c
$1.00 Rexall Sarsaparilla	69c
$1.00 Pinkham's Comp	67c
$1.00 Rexall Kidney Cure	89c
75c Eskay's Food	55c
75c Glyc. Rock and Rye	65c
$1.00 Greene's Nervura	79c
$1.00 Rexall Petrol. Emul	69c
50c Ayer's Cherry Pect	41c
$1.00 Ayer's Sarsaparilla	79c
50c Sloan's Liniment	39c
$1.00 Hay's Hair Health	79c
35c Castoria, Fletcher	25c
$1.00 Russell's Emulsion	79c
50c Arnold's Cough Killer	41c
$1.00 Sulpho-Napthol	79c
50c Dr. Bull's Cough Syr	41c
60c Bovinine	45c
$1.00 Gray's Glyc. Tonic	79c
$1.00 Maltine Prep	79c
$1.00 Nerves	69c
$1.25 Pepto-Mangan	79c
$1.00 Coke's Dandruff Cure	66c
50c Hall's Quinine Hair Tonic	39c
$1.00 Malted Milk	75c

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Sterilized Gauze, 5 yards	35c
Two-Quart Annex Syringe	$1.25
Sulphur Candles	10c
Oil Atomizers	79c
Crutches, pair	$1.50
Bed Pans, all kinds	75c to $3.00
Absorbent Cotton, lb	25c
Sick Feeders	25c
Two-Quart Fountain Syringe	$1.00

SPECIAL Regular $1.25 quality Red Star Two-Quart HOT WATER BOTTLE For 89c.

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STORM WARNING

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The local weather bureau today issued the following:

Southeast storm warning 9 a. m. High southeast winds shifting to northwest tonight. Storm over Virginia, increasing in intensity and moving rapidly northeastword. Warnings ordered from Delaware Breakwater to Eastport.

DOROTHY DORR

TOOK A CHINAMAN FOR HER HUSBAND

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 21.—Miss Dorothy Dorr, 18 years of age, a pretty manicure girl, was married on Dec. 24 to Julien Kawn, who says he is a student in the Harvard law school. Announcement of the marriage was made yesterday morning. Kawn is a Chinaman. After failing to get a license in this city, Kawn and Miss Dorr went to Hartford, where Kawn represented the girl's age as 21 and got the license without any difficulty. They were married at the home of a minister in that city.

Nothing is known about Kawn in this city except that he is a Chinaman and claims to be studying at the Harvard law school. His name does not appear in the Harvard catalog of last year.

The couple are now living together in this city.

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THIS MEANS that you can buy a $5.00 article for $2.50 during these two days. This unparalleled opportunity to buy goods cheaper than the factories can make them for, is open to you, and we want to impress upon everybody that this is NOT A GOT UP SALE. We honestly mean every word we say. SATURDAY and MONDAY will be a two days' GENUINE 50 PER CENT. MARK DOWN. No mark-ups first, then mark-downs to appear cheap, but honestly 50 per cent. off our regular low prices.

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LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

John Drew, America's foremost light comedian, will be seen in this city at the Opera House tonight in his latest comedy success, "Inconstant George," the play in which he appeared with such pronounced success at the Empire theatre, New York, when he met with an accident while riding in Central park some weeks ago. This accident necessitated Mr. Drew's temporary withdrawal from the theatre. His appearance at the Opera House will have a certain additional interest, in that it will be his first appearance in this city for several seasons.

"Inconstant George," Mr. Drew's vehicle for the current season, is an adaptation of a French comedy entitled "L'Ane de Buridan," which ran for nearly a year in Paris. It was written by R. de Flers and G. de Caillavet, the authors of "Love Watches," the sentimental comedy in which Billie Burke is now appearing, and of "L'Roi," the brilliant satirical comedy which attained greater success in France than any other play of a like sort produced in the last quarter of a century.

The original French title, the literal translation of which is "Buridan's Donkey," was taken from an old French fable which told of a donkey which was placed between two mangers filled with oats and hay, respectively and which starved to death because it was unable to decide which it preferred. Precisely this same mental fault of indecision marks the conduct of George Bullin, the central character in "Inconstant George." He falls in love on the slightest provocation, with almost every pretty woman he meets, but when it comes to choosing between his numerous "lady loves," he finds that he is "stumped."

It is not until the final moment of the play that he does choose and then the object of his choice is a quaint little country girl, who has told him the truth about himself and who has been so charmingly frank and so ingeniously in love with him, that he finds himself an easy captive to her alluring fascinations.

Heading the admirable company with which Charles Frohman has surrounded Mr. Drew is Miss Mary Boland, who contributes an admirably effective bit of characterization as Micheline, the outspoken country girl, who finds herself head over heels in love with the indecisive George Bullin, and who deliberately sets out to win him. Others in the cast include Miss Adelaide Prince, Miss Desmond Kelley, Miss Jane Laurel, Martin Sabine, Rex MacDougal and Frederick Tilden.

The piece is said to be mounted with that rare good taste which characterizes all the Frohman productions.

RICHARD J. JOSE

Into the Opera House on next Monday and Tuesday comes "Silver Threads," a play of old New England life in four acts, by Martin V. Merle.

The story of the play is founded on the old familiar song of our fathers' "Silver Threads Among the Gold," the memory of which has been kept green and it is incidentally sung during the first act by Richard J. Jose, who will be well remembered from his former connection with minstrels, "The Old Homestead" and in vaudeville.

Mr. Jose has this year, for the first time in his career of nearly a quarter of a century, taken up the legitimate drama as a means to give to the public and his many admirers the familiar ballads and hymns, the singing of which has made him famous.

The ravages of time have had no noticeable effects upon Mr. Jose's phenomenal voice, while the play offers a most consistent, clean theatrical treat, as, judging from any standpoint, it is a splendid piece of playwriting, dealing with New England folks, who are pictured as in everyday life, particular pains having been taken in not having the characters overdrawn.

The heart interest centers about a young girl who has been raised in a quiet country home, and upon arriving at womanhood goes to Boston to have her voice cultivated, and where, through ignorance of the ways and pitfalls of the metropolis, she becomes entangled in its snares.

After a few months of unbounded happiness, followed by months of misery and despair, she returns home, tells her story of wrongdoing, and is turned out by her enraged father.

Ten years elapse, and then the man who was responsible for her wrong appears upon the threshold of the life of a younger sister and is about to succeed in his plans, when the girl who was driven from her home returns as an accomplished opera singer, unrecognized by her relatives, and in a strong dramatic scene denounces the betrayer.

While the scenes are strong and full of heart interest, they do not in the least border upon the melodramatic, and the more serious portions are relieved by a strong vein of bright comedy.

Mr. Jose is seen in a part created especially for his peculiar type and nature, which he portrays in a most natural manner, and in which he has an opportunity to sing his ballads and hymns without inconsistently dragging them into the play and marring the thread of the story.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Plenty of singing and dancing and comedy are in evidence in the bill at Hathaway's theatre this week. There is the pop. song as done by the end man in Shep Camp's "Fly By Night Minstrels," and the eccentric song and obligato dance at Clara Thropp serves it in another spot on the program. Charles Lawlor and his two daughters sing both character and sentimental songs and lend another engaging touch.

Mab, a tiny soubret, and Caspar Wels, also a Liliputian, commend to audiences their versions of how songs should be given. Wilson brothers, two of them, hold out comedy and one of them yodels well. The three Rehards are acrialists of much merit and Robin juggles as of yore. The motion pictures close the bill.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week, with speial seats at the matinees for women.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill at the Academy of Music is excellent in every sense of the word, the Castelucci musical trio are certainly experts in their line. Their selections are of the highest order and they play on a great number of instruments very skilfully. Miss Ida Corbett is a very clever comedienne who makes four different changes of costume in her act and she is also a very clever and graceful dancer. The feature picture is a biograph "On the Reef." It tells a story of love and duty. Dan McCaffrey is singing the illustrated songs. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

THEATRE VOYONS

The man or woman who is at all interested in military affairs or desires to be well informed as to the progress our regular army is making should be sure and see the performance at the Theatre Voyons today. It gives many important details of a soldier's life and the training he gets at the big army posts. One of the interesting portions of the picture shows the setting up and operation of wireless stations in the field. There are many drills, reviews and all branches of the service appear in the picture.

CLAN GRANT

WILL PRESENT "TAM O'SHANTER" MONDAY EVENING

The new Scotch musical comedy, Tam O'Shanter, to be given next Monday evening in Associate hall by the Scottish Musical Comedy company will prove as interesting to Americans as to the local Scottish colony, because of the well-known personnel of this distinguished company. It is a remarkably strong combination of singers and actors, the members of which have been before the public in various capacities for years.

Mr. James Gilbert, who plays the title role of Tam O'Shanter, a character admirably suited to his talents, is favorably remembered in Lowell, where he successfully managed a light opera company for a number of seasons. Mr. Gilbert was the leading comedian in the Stetson productions of the Gilbert & Sullivan operas and with the Augustin Daly company. During these later years he has been stage manager for the famed Vincent club and Hasty Pudding club shows in Boston and at Harvard university. He has never assumed a character more congenial than that of Tam O'Shanter.

Mr. John Daniels, the author of the sketches, is recognized as one of the leading tenors in Boston, and is at present tenor soloist at the aristocratic Harvard church, Brookline. He has appeared with nearly all the oratorio societies of New England and was chosen to sing with the Boston Symphony orchestra at its first pension fund concert under Gericke. Mr. Daniels is well known in Boston newspaper circles.

Mr. L. B. Merrill, the landlord, is without a peer among the bosses of Boston. He has appeared as soloist with the Handel & Haydn society 12 times and frequently with the famous Cecilia society. He was one of the leading basses of the old "Bostonians."

Mr. Thomas Henderson, who plays and looks the part of Burns, is known to Scottish societies as one of the most pleasing tenors now singing the songs of Scotland.

Tam O'Shanter, based on Burns' poem of the same name, is one of the most delightful and cleverest sketches now on the stage. The scene is laid in the old town of Ayr and pictures an evening in the kitchen of the jolly landlord of the now famous Tam O'Shanter inn,—just such an evening as the poet may have spent in the society of Tam and his cronnie, Souter Johnny. As Burns suggests in his poem, the night is passed with song and story. Many of the favorite songs of Scotland are introduced with now and then a bit of dancing.

In addition to "Tam O' Shanter" the company presents a very humorous skit entitled "Breaking Into Scotch," based on the initial visit of an Englishman to Scotland. In this sketch Gilbert outlauders Lauder.

The local Scotch colony is making preparations for a fine celebration of Burns' birthday with this celebrated company.

STAR THEATRE

Torrelli's circus, consisting of 10 ponies, three dogs and the unridable mule, Bessie, conducted by Prof. Walberti, will be seen at the theatre the remainder of this week. There were 10 local boys who wanted to try and ride Bessie, the mule, Thursday evening, but

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HEADS OF STATES

Regard Conference as a School for Governors

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The majority of the state heads consider the governor's conference as a school for governors rather than as a body to recommend legislation or to take definite action on any of the subjects discussed. This fact was made plain at the concluding session of the conference late yesterday when it was decided that all resolutions calling for a formal expression of opinion by the governors should be left in abeyance. Several governors thought the body should take a definite stand on great public questions. Further the governors showed that it was their purpose to deal with state problems and to leave to the federal government questions which concerned the nation as a whole. This decision was evidenced when a committee appointed to consider a resolution introduced by Governor Eberhart of Minnesota, relative to recommendations to congress concerning jurisdiction of federal and state courts, reported that such jurisdiction belonged to the president of the United States and did not come within the scope of the conference.

WEDDING IS OFF

Green Disappeared on Eve of Day of Ceremony

WESTBORO, Jan. 21.—"Won't need the hack. It's all off."

The foregoing message, signed by Winthrop Green, 20 year old son of Waldo E. Green of South street, this town, officially explains why Miss Marion Shaw, aged 18, also of this town, but whose parents live in Brockton, did not hear her own wedding bells ring Wednesday. It also explains why she waited, not at the church, but ready to go to it. It called off her marriage, which had been planned for Wednesday, but as yet she has not been given any reason why it was called off.

Young Green has disappeared. Where? His friends knoweth not, so they say. And the why of his change of mind, as well as his address, is equally a matter of conjecture. Lurking in the minds of some, however, is a shadow of suspicion that parental objection may have been the germ which begot his sudden and surprising action. It is declared the boy's father did not take kindly to his son's desire to marry and some think he may have convinced him that while the old expression "Two minds with but a single thought" sounds well enough, there yet remains the fact of "two mouths that eat as two." Anyhow, young Green is gone, and while the bride-to-have-been, so far as appearances go, is bearing the shock well, she did have the embarrassing experience of her marriage being abruptly and arbitrarily cancelled.

Green for a year had been employed in the newsroom of H. F. Chamberlain. Miss Shaw came here in September and early made the acquaintance of Green. They were much together, and it was no surprise to their friends when it became known they planned to be married.

Green engaged the services of a minister, employed a hackman and arranged to call on Town Clerk Joseph H. Gates about getting his license. Everything seemed to look rosy to him on Monday. But Tuesday he did not report for work. Then Ernest F. Brown, the hackman, got his note and local gossip got busy.

Green was last seen by an acquaintance on Tuesday, when Chas. L. Leonard met him in Worcester. Leonard says Green was carrying a dress suit case and an overcoat. It is thought here he went to New York, where he has a married sister.

Miss Shaw has given up her position and will return to Brockton, it is stated.

SAGAMORE CLUB ON HONEYMOON

Held Classy Social in Associate Hall

Sagamores were ever princes since the days of old Wannalancit who was a Sagamore himself, likewise an Indian, and the members of the Sagamore club who held their third annual social in Associate hall, last evening were like old Wannalancit. For weeks the glad cry of the Sagamores had been "Going up?" and the public was assured that something fine was to be pulled off at Associate on the 20th. Then when "Lil Artha" Cull who is a Sag (junior branch) was distributing invitations to his many friends every one became aware of the fact that there was to be some class to the affair and hence it was no surprise to see four hundred couples bumping each other in the merry mazes of the dance when the affair got under way last evening while the gallery was crowded with admiring friends who, by reason of bad colds, grip or other deterring features were denied the pleasure of mixing with the dancers.

During the early evening the crowd was so great on the floor that dancing was rather uncomfortable.

There was some class to the dancers, too, and those who couldn't step lively were forced to hug the sides of the hall, for Kittredge's music was the goods and all the real "candy" dancers of the town were whirling around with the Sags. A disappointing feature was the non-appearance on the floor of Billie Sullivan, who was assigned to the check box and had so much money in his jeans that he didn't dare to take a chance on whirling around. There were more pretty girls present than one sees at the general run of social events. The Sags were certainly strong on pretty girl friends.

The decorations were elaborate At the close of the affair it was pronounced one of the most successful events of the season.

The officers of the affair were as follows: General manager, Albert Smith; assistant general manager, John Coughlin; floor director, Thomas Gill; assistant floor director, Eugene Knowlton; chief aids, Edward Draper, William Sullivan, Frank Lincoln; aids, John Loughlin, Arthur Cull, Richard Durkin, John Sheehan, Ralph Chapman, Philip Welch, James Chase, Morton Beane, John Downs, Andrew Goggin, William O'Malley, John Duggan, James Gill, Albert Berry, Thomas Fay; treasurer, Thomas J. Durkin.

ON HONEYMOON

Bridegroom Jailed Soon After Marriage

LINCOLN, N. H., Jan. 21.—Charles F. Krebs, alias Shaffer, had a honeymoon of little over 12 hours, which was rudely interrupted by Chief of Police Carey, who arrested Krebs yesterday on a charge of desertion.

Krebs arrived in town Wednesday from Portland and immediately went to the home of his sweetheart, Josephine Lapointe. Soon after, they were married and had a little reception, attended by a few of their friends. Early yesterday morning Chief Carey went to the Lapointe home and arrested the bridegroom on the charge of desertion from Fort Williams, Portland, Me., where he was a member of the Fifth Coast Artillery. On Dec. 8 he obtained leave and at the expiration of his time failed to report for duty.

The army officials have been looking for him since, and Wednesday night received notice that he had arrived here, whereupon the local police were notified.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF THE CHOIRS OF ST. JOSEPH'S AND ST. JEAN'S CHURCHES

The annual banquet of the choirs of St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches was held in St. Joseph's college hall last evening. Over 100 singers were present and the affair was most enjoyable. Before the banquet whist was enjoyed in the lower hall. Ten handsome prizes were given as souvenirs of the banquet, the lucky winners being Mr. George Labranche, Miss Anna Bourassa, Miss Aline Leclair, Mr. Octave Barabe, Mr. Joseph Briere, Mr. D. J. Gregoire, Miss Cora Blanchette, Miss Marie Anne Lemerise, Mr. Henry Weilbrenner, Dr. J. E. Nolet and Mr. Napoleon Lozeau; boobies went to Miss Caroline Alexander and Mr. Epiphane Labrie.

Dr. George E. Caisse had general charge of the whist, assisted by Miss Rose Anna Vigeant. Dr. Caisse also presided at the banquet table. The appetizing menu was furnished by Edmond Berger.

Addresses were made by Rev. Frs. Wattelle, Barrette, Ouelette and Gratton, O. M. I. A delightful musical program was rendered, Arthur J. Martel, presiding at the organ.

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL

BY CHILDREN OF MARY OF SACRED HEART CHURCH

An enjoyable social was held by the Children of Mary sodality of the Sacred Heart church, at the school hall in Andrews street last evening with about 150 in attendance. During the evening a good musical program was given, beginning with the singing of the hymn, "Hail Mary" by the entire sodality. The following young women took part in the program: Songs, Mrs. Adelaide A. Muldoon, Misses Marietta Nolan, Margaret McQuillan, Kathleen Jennings, Mary Doyle, Katherine Hickey; piano and violin duet, Misses Alice and Blanche Walsh; piano duet, Misses H. Kirwin and Kathleen McLean; piano solos, Misses Marietta Sullivan Katherine Murningham, Susie Ryan, Frances Parker and Ella Gookin.

Present as guests during the evening were the pastor, Rev. Fr. Smith, and his assistants, Rev. Frs. Barrett, Tighe, and Fletcher, O. M. I.

After the entertainment dancing was enjoyed. During the evening refreshments were served. The committee in charge of the entertainment were the officers and consultors of the society.

TO OBSERVE CENTENNIAL

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 21.—At a meeting of a joint committee on centennial of Manchester from the board of trade and the Manchester Historic association, an organization was effected with former Mayor E. J. Knowlton as chairman and Frank E. Martin as secretary. It was decided to ask the city council for an appropriation for a proper observance of the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of Manchester, which occurs in June.

TO SET PATRICK FREE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—Relatives of Albert T. Patrick, the New York lawyer, who is confined in Sing Sing prison for the murder of Millionaire William Marsh Rice, have secured a promise from Charles F. Jones, Rice's former valet, who has turned up here after having been missing for three years, that he will go back to New York and give evidence which it is believed may open up a way for the release of Patrick.

Several times reported dead, Jones appeared here a few days ago, and instead of going to the home of his parents, went to the house of a friend, whom he told he was tired of being chased around the world. He declared that he had returned for the purpose of making a clean breast of it and settling the whole affair.

The testimony of Jones at the trial went a long way toward securing Patrick's conviction.

PRESIDENT TAFT

Is Now Head of the State Militia

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The militia of this state, having accepted the provisions of the Dick act of seven years ago in its amended form, today comes under the direct command of the president of the United States. In its present federalized form, all members of the militia may be mustered into the regular army without further enlistment or examination at the call of the president.

The famous Dick bill, originated by Senator Dick of Ohio in 1903, was intended to go into effect two years ago, but at that date more time was asked by some of the states to consider the matter and a delay of two years was granted.

The new law for the federalization of the national guard of the various states was signed by the president May 26, 1908. It was amendatory to the Dick act of five years before and most of its provisions were suggested at the meeting of the National Guard association of the United States in Boston during the fall of 1907.

The bill states that on and after Jan. 21, 1910, the organization, armament and discipline of the organized militia in the several states and territories and the District of Columbia shall be the same as that of the regular army.

Failure of a militiaman to answer the call of the president lays him liable to court-martial under as rigid rules as those of the regular army. The majority membership of courts-martial, according to the bill, however, for the trial of officers or men of the militia when in the service of the United States shall be composed of militia officers.

NEW MILK LAW

MAY PLACE POWER IN STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Dr. Theobald Smith, the famous bacteriologist, appeared before the legislative committee on public health yesterday in favor of the bill to place the framing of milk regulations with the state board of health.

The bill is presented by Senator W. Prentiss Parker of Roxbury, and it says that the regulations for transportation and handling shall be framed by this central committee.

Bank Commissioner Chapin says that there has been an increase of $36,500,000 in the savings banks deposits in Massachusetts during the past year and that the total amount of deposits is now $797,600,000. It is a record increase.

The annual report of Mr. Chapin also takes up the savings bank insurance and points out that two banks have made a success of it. One is the Whitman Savings bank, which has written 1711 policies, amounting to $593,000, and the other is the People's bank of Brockton, which has written policies numbering 1209 and amounting to $539,000.

Representative Vinson of Dorchester believes that the tax sales now advertised exclusively in the City Record should be published again in the daily papers, as they were before the City Record was created in the Boston charter bill.

He says that the present publication fails to give publicity to those interested in the disposal of estates.

There is war between Chairman Warren of the civil service commission and Col. Sohier of the highway commission over a question that Chairman Warren says concerns the well working of the entire civil service law.

The highway commission has a bill to "protect efficient employes." The story of a rodman having a provisional appointment was told. He could not pass the examination by the civil service, but the highway commission refused to allow his discharge, because they said he was competent.

Col. Sohier declares that the rodman was compelled to answer questions several classes above his grade. But Chairman Warren denies this.

NO MEETING

REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE "PASSED" LAST EVENING

The meeting of the republican city committee scheduled for last evening did not materialize and will be held next Thursday.

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POCKETBOOK LOST containing sum of money, rosary beads and trunk key. Reward for return to St. Patrick's Home, Cross st.

PAIR OF GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES found. Owner can have same by calling at 36 Gardner ave., after 7 o'clock evenings.

LOCKET AND CHAIN lost on the Lakeview avenue car, Jan. 19, between Navy Yard and Merrimack sq. O. H. E. engraved on the front of the locket. Return to 419 Riverside st. Reward.

POCKETBOOK containing large sum of money, lost, either on Gorham or Central sts., Jan. 19. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mrs. Lethlecq, 211 White st.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF FIRM

Lowell, Mass., January 20, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Derby and Morse, consisting of Lucius A. Derby and Charles F. Morse, formerly doing business as electricians and dealers in electrical supplies at 64 Middle street, Lowell, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Lucius A. Derby will continue the business formerly conducted by the firm at 64 Middle street.

LUCIUS A. DERBY,
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Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908, I, Emma F. Lyons, of Wellesley, Mass., do hereby give notice that I have made written application to the Lowell Institution for Savings, of Lowell, Mass., for a duplicate deposit book of Account No. 72641, standing in the name of Emma F. Lyons, and which said deposit book is lost or destroyed.

(Signed) EMMA F. LYONS.
Wellesley, Mass., Jan. 19, 1910.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Jan. 20, 1910. The Committee on Public Service will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the recommendation in the tax commissioner's report as relates to the salary of the deputy tax commissioner; the bill to establish the salaries of the judges of the probate court of the County of Middlesex; and the bill to authorize an expenditure for clerical assistance by the clerk of the first district court of Middlesex, at room No. 441, State House, on Friday, Jan. 28, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Geo. H. Newhall, Chairman. Fred W. Ford, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. State House, Boston, Jan. 20, 1910. The Committee on Public Service will give a hearing to parties interested in the retirement on pensions of probation officers who are veterans of the Civil war; also on petition that employes of the commonwealth be retired in certain cases, at room No. 441, State House, on Tuesday, January 25, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. George H. Newhall, Chairman. Fred W. Ford, Clerk of the Committee.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Samuel Keyser, late of New York, in the State of New York, deceased, testate, and has taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, and appointing William T. Sheppard, of Lowell, their agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers. D. Crawford Clark, William V. S. Thorne, Executors, Address New York City, N. Y.
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7-ROOM TENEMENT to let with pantry, hot and cold water, set tubs and all modern conveniences, on Pleasant st. Apply at 124.

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS to let, suitable for light housekeeping; steam heat. Inquire 308 Westford st.

TENEMENT comprising four rooms and shed, to let, at 77 Bartlett st. Ring upper bell.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 42 Barclay st. $9. Apply Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

STORE ON MIDDLE STREET to let, with railroad track in rear; wide entrance; suitable for garage or wholesale business. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 309-310 Wyman's Exchange.

GOOD 3-ROOM TENEMENT to let, $1.25 per week. Good 5-room tenement to let, $1.50 per week. Both near the mills and in the pink of condition. Also small farm, rare chance. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

TENEMENT at 14 Maple st., near Gorham st. to let, containing 4 spacious rooms and renting for $1.85 per week. Another tenement at 70 Chestnut st., of 5 large rooms, to let. Apply Joseph Flynn, 50 Elm st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let, exceptionally desirable, in splendid condition; nice cellar and yard. 79 Chestnut st. Geo. E. Brown.

HOUSE OF 14 ROOMS in Centralville to let. Bath room, furnace heat, rent $20. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 309 Wyman's Exchange.

5-ROOM TENEMENT on Central st., near opera house, to let. Apply to Henry Miller & Son, 309 Wyman's Exchange.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let with bath, set tubs and curtains; ten minutes' walk from Merrimack sq. Rent $15. Apply to Henry Miller & Son, 309 Wyman's Exchange.

NEWLY FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms to let, suitable for light housekeeping; steam heat. 75 East Merrimack st.

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6-ROOM TENEMENT to let in Pawtucketville, bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing, sewer connection. Apply 89 Varnum ave., or tel. 1019-4.

OFFICES TO LET in Associate bldg. Light, bright and airy, overlooking Monument square. Rent reasonable. Apply to janitor.

4-ROOM FLAT to let, bath, separate front and back doors. Inquire 625 East Merrimack st.

SUITE OF ROOMS in the Harrington building, 52 Central st., to let. Inquire at The Sun office.

HELP WANTED

GIRL WANTED for the office of a mill near Lawrence st., Lowell. Apply in writing, stating age, capabilities and pay expected. W. M., Sun Office.

PERCHER WANTED for finished worsted goods, also shear tender, loom fixers and dressers, second and section hands. Charles P. Raymond, 294 Washington st., Boston.

TOOL MAKERS, general machinists, lathe and planer hands wanted. Steady work, good wages to competent men. No labor difficulties. Apply to Mr. Holland, 420 Butler Exchange, Providence, R. I.

EXPERIENCED SKEIN WINDERS and learners wanted at once. Shaw Stocking Co.

10 WOMEN CANVASSERS wanted for Lowell and suburban towns. Good proposition to right party. Pay every night. Address W., Sun Office.

FIRST CLASS CABINET MAKER or carpenter wanted at once. Top floor, Donovan bldg.

WOMEN REPRESENTATIVES wanted in this city and vicinity. Address Sales Manager, 7 Water st., Haverhill, Mass.

MAN WANTED for the ice cream business and general work. Apply 65 School st., cor. Pawtucket st.

MEN WANTED to learn barber trade. Only few weeks required. Wages after first month. Steady position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Moler's Barber College, 207 Bowery, New York City.

BARBER WANTED—Apply 77 East Merrimack st.

BUSHELMAN WANTED—Apply Mitchell, the Tailor, 24 Central st.

TWO NIGGERHEAD OPERATORS and three hand puller overs wanted. Lowell Shoe Co., Stackpole st.

WOMAN OR GIRL wanted each town, good pay spare time, copy names for advertisers, cash weekly. Stamp for particulars. Am. Adv. Bureau, Sanbornville, N. H.

SALESMEN WANTED; a few energetic, capable salesmen, in most unique selling features, short, snappy canvass and quick sales; give particulars as to previous experience, references. 55 Donovan Bldg., Lowell, Mass.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WOMAN WOULD LIKE to do kitchen work. Inquire at Miss Miner's, 233 Lakeview ave.

YOUNG MAN, married, with highest references, is looking for a position as a collector or as a salesman in stores for a concern. Braude, 103 Gorham st.

WANTED

YOUNG MAN wishes to live with an intelligent German or Parisian French family. Address N. O., Sun Office.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds wanted. Ranges, drop head sewing machines, refrigerators, roll top desks, book cases, upright pianos, etc. All orders promptly attended to. Send postal, call or telephone to A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 1976-5.

50 SECOND HAND ICE CHESTS and refrigerators wanted. Send postal or call. T. F. Muldoon, 506 Central st.

10, 15, 25 TO 30 CANS OF MILK wanted per day. Inquire 478 Market street.

ALL PERSONS WANTED to buy their coal, coke, mill kindling, slab, hard wood and dry maple for fireplace. W. T. Griffin's, 187 Appleton st. Tel. 663.

FOR SALE

FOR GYMNASIUM—For sale a wooden horizontal bar for gymnasium purposes. Price $3. Mrs. Reade, 871 Lakeview ave.

NICE BAY MARE with colt, 9 mos. old, and stable outfit, buggy, etc., for sale. Apply 512 Pleasant st., Dracut.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTER for sale, total adder, detail strip, perfect condition; cost $165, will sell for $55. 198 Church st.

ONE GOOD BAKER WAGON for sale; also one No. 4 McDowell oven, in good order, all kinds of baking utensils, bowls and boxes, ice chest, ice cream freezer, Packer show cases, counter, work benches and everything that goes with the bakery business. Will sell the whole thing for $300, and let the building that is 14x24, all fitted with gas, for $8 a month. Inquire 93 Boynton st.

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Unless we get your money for you; wages, rents and claims of every description collected. Send us a few accounts for trial. Call or write.

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SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.56	6.14	7.18
x6.27	7.41	7.58	8.55
b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.36
7.22	8.05	b10.21	11.34
x7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.56
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.37
8.56	9.55	2.00	3.04
c9.07	10.16	3.00	3.57
9.38	10.24	b3.51	5.02
10.45	11.40	4.00	4.37
11.38	12.20	x4.14	5.00
12.12	1.00	5.00	5.37
1.46	2.50	b5.21	6.23
2.41	3.53	5.38	6.25
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.28	5.30	x6.14	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.08
b6.10	7.19	8.30	9.08
6.28	7.10	10.30	11.34
7.36	8.30	11.17	11.55
9.50	10.50	11.20	12.16

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.30
7.55	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.43	9.49	1.00	1.57
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.30	11.38	7.30	8.08
2.25	3.19	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.52
7.38	8.20	10.29	11.35

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	x7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.50	10.50	9.24	10.39
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
x1.30	2.36	2.14	3.20
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.50	5.34	4.59	5.56
5.06	6.09	6.03	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.55	7.45
9.35	10.35	9.35	10.33
		x11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printery, Tobin's.

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 5, at the Central Savings bank.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Clark Langley and daughter, and Mrs. Allie Batchelder of Lowell, attended the funeral of Mrs. Olive Merrill, in Manchester, N. H., yesterday.

Miss Blanche Vining of Eighth avenue will spend the next six months in California with relatives. On her return home she will visit friends in Minnesota.

William F. Kelliher, Lawrence's newly elected city treasurer, was a visitor at Mayor Meehan's office yesterday. Mr. Kelliher served with Mayor Meehan in the legislature. Mr. Kelliher is also a former chairman of the board of aldermen of Lawrence.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Jan 21—Carmick Kiernan, 19, laborer, rear 152 Lakeview avenue, and Victoria M. Wells, 19, operative, 23 Marshall street.

CHURCH MEETING

The annual meeting of the Westminster Presbyterian church was held last night in the vestry. The pastor, Rev. S. A. Jackson, was moderator. The reports of officers of the church and the various departments of church work indicated a progressive year. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Members of the standing committee for three years, A. W. McDonald and C. M. Blackie; financial secretary, A. W. McDonald; treasurer, C. M. Blackie; clerk, H. G. Walker; ushers, Alex Stewart and Vernon R. Walker, with Robert Campbell, Jr. and Douglas McKinley as assistants.

Lowell Opera House
Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Mgr.

TONIGHT
Charles Frohman Presents
JOHN DREW
In His Greatest Comedy Success
Inconstant George
By the authors of "Love Watches." Direct from Empire Theatre, New York, with original company and production.
Prices: $1.50, $1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Seats on sale.

MONDAY & TUESDAY, JAN. 24-25
Richard J. Jose
America's Greatest Contra Tenor
In a Sweet Wholesome Play of New England Life.
SILVER THREADS
Prices: Orch., $1, 75c, 50c. Bal., 50c, 35c. Gal., 25. Seats on sale.

Burns' Anniversary
UNDER AUSPICES
CLAN GRANT, NO. 141, O. S. C.
TO BE HELD
Associate Hall, Monday Evening,
January 24, 1910
—BY—
The Scottish Musical Comedy Co.
Of Boston in the Musical Sketches
"TAM O' SHANTER" and "BREAKING INTO SCOTCH"
Kittredge's Orchestra. Tickets 50c. Reserved Seats $1.00.

Hathaway Theatre
Every Afternoon Week Jan. 17 Every Evening
SHEP CAMP and his FLY-BY-NIGHT MINSTRELS
MABB AND WEIS
CLARA THROPP
WILSON BROTHERS
KOBIN
RENARD TRIO
HATHASCOPE
CHAS. P. LAWLOR and Daughters
Ladies' Bargain Matinee Every Day
Pianos from M. Steinert & Sons

Florida Oranges, Grapefruits, Tangerines Are Now at Their Best.
Get Them at
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America's Greatest Heater. Handled in Lowell Exclusively by
WELCH BROS., 63-65 Middle Street
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COMMITTED SUICIDE

After He Had Attacked and Shot a Jeweler

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Frederick Boettcher, a Brooklyn jeweler, was sandbagged and fatally shot in his store late yesterday by an unknown man, who ended his life by taking a capsule of carbolic acid before he could be locked up.

Boettcher identified his assailant as a man who came to his store not long ago and looked at some diamond rings. It was on this plea that the stranger entered yesterday, presumably with the intent of robbery.

When the jeweler started to come from behind the counter the stranger pulled a chamois bag, filled with sand and shot, from his coat pocket and struck him a crushing blow on the head.

The blow broke the bag and the shot scattered over the floor. As Boettcher reeled the man fired a shot at him, which took effect behind the jeweler's left ear.

The shot brought Mrs. Boettcher from her apartments above the store and the man fled, leaving one revolver in the store and throwing another away as he ran along the street. Hard pressed by the police, who had been attracted by Mrs. Boettcher's screams, the would-be robber was seen to raise his hand to his lips and swallow hastily.

In a moment more he was under arrest and though apparently suffering he walked back with the officers to the store, where Boettcher identified him as his assailant.

Still unaware that he had taken poison, although suspecting that he had carbolic acid about his clothes because of the odor, the prisoner was taken to a police station and preparations were begun to search him.

Here he collapsed and died before medical assistance could be summoned. Examination by a surgeon later showed beyond doubt that he had swallowed carbolic acid in capsule form.

He died without uttering a word. Examination showed him to be particularly well dressed and apparently 30 years old. A gold scarf fastener bore the initials "V. W. V.," and in the waistcoat was found a handsome gold watch. The clothing bore the stamp of well-known New York dealers. There were no papers to indicate his identity.

The police are inclined to think there is some similarity between the man and the descriptions of the man who shot down two boys in Harlem recently, and to clear this up photographs of the body were taken, together with finger prints and other police measurements.

The suicide's foolhardy attempt at robbery was a complete failure.

THE SMART CLOTHES SHOP
D. S. O'Brien Co.
222 MERRIMACK STREET
A SIGN OF GOOD CLOTHES

BIG VALUES
—FOR—
BIG MEN
In the January Sale

It's lucky to be big—sometimes.

Because the big men in this section haven't bought as freely at the Smart Clothes Shop as we expected and provided for, we've got lots of big suits and overcoats left.

This ad. is specially for big men—men of stout proportions from 40 breast upward.

For these men we have almost unbroken ranges of sizes left in regular length overcoats—also a good selection in sack suits—both blacks and fancies.

As a rule, when a price concession is made on garments for men of unusual build, there's something queer about the style or the cut. The garments for big men at this shop are all new—from Stein-Bloch and other good makers—and they carry the same price reductions as the regular sizes.

Big values for big men will be found in these lines:—

At $11.50

Overcoats of black kersey and oxford melton. Suits of black undressed worsted, fancy worsted and fancy cassimere. Reduced from $15.

At $15.00

Overcoats of heavy weight, black kersey. Suits of black Thibet and fancy worsted. Made by Stein-Bloch. Reduced from $20,

At $20.00

Overcoats of black kersey or vicuna from Stein-Bloch. Suits of black undressed worsted, or dark fancy worsted from same makers. Reduced from $25.

—ALSO—

At $3.75—All Worsted Trousers that were $5.
At $3.75—Blanket Bath Robes that were $5.

GOLF JACKETS
MARKED DOWN

Our $3 All Worsted Jackets reduced to.....$2.35
Our $4 Shaker Jackets reduced to.....$3.25
Our $5 Heavy Worsted Jackets reduced to.....$3.75
Our $6 Extra Heavy Shaker Jackets reduced to....$5.00
All sizes from 34 to 46.

THE UNIONISTS

Make More Gains in the Election

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Twenty-five returns made this morning out of the 35 left over from yesterday's elections for members of parliament give the unionists 13 seats, the liberals 10, laborites 1 and Irish nationalists 1; a unionist gain of six seats without any losses.

The state of the parties at 1.30 p. m. today was:

Government coalition:
Liberals, 145; Irish nationalists, 54; laborites 30.
Opposition:
Unionists 176.

JAPAN DECLINES

To Accept United States Proposals

TOKIO, Jan. 21.—The reply of the Japanese government to the United States proposal for the neutralization of the Manchurian railroads was handed to American Ambassador O'Brien this afternoon. It is a polite declination.

RUSSIA'S REPLY

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 21.—Russia's reply to Secretary Knox's note proposing the neutralization of the Manchurian railways was delivered to American Ambassador Rockhill today.

It has been understood generally that Japan and Russia would take identical action on the American proposal.

HE TOOK POISON

Martin Costello is Likely to Die

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 21.—A too liberal portion of paris green, taken with suicidal intent, prevented the immediate execution of his purpose and Martin J. Costello, aged 40, lay in a hospital today in a precarious condition. The chances were very much against his recovery. Costello has served a term in state prison for attempting to kill a policeman.

MAYOR GAYNOR

DETERMINED TO PUT STOP TO POLICEMEN'S BRUTALITY

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Mayor Gaynor's campaign against police brutality entered upon active hostilities yesterday, when one policeman was dismissed from the force, two others were suspended and four were ordered to trial on charges of violence and drunkenness. The mayor heard the cases in person and transmitted his recommendations to the commissioner of police.

There is much restlessness among the men, who fear that a big shakeup in the force is under way. The mayor is understood to be particularly determined that the practice of beating prisoners in the station houses must stop, and he is considering an order doing away with night sticks altogether.

LES ARTISANS

ELECTED NEW OFFICERS LAST EVENING

Branch St. Andre of Les Artisans Canadiens-Francais elected the following officers last night for the coming year: Representative to the executive council, Dr. A. G. Payette; president, Origene Descoteaux; first vice president, Henri Hamilton; 2d vice pres., Ferdinand Theriault; recording secretary, Venant W. Donais; first marshal, Arthur Dupont; second marshal, Chas. Normandin; auditors, Jos. Dion, William Brautigan, Hormidas Ducharme; ballot officers, Dr. L. V. Rochette, H. Paris, Louis Beauchesne.

The chaplain of the branch is Rev. Fr. Wattelle, O. M. I. The installation of the chaplain and other officers will take place Feb. 3.

GONE TO EAST AFRICA

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, accompanied by their son and daughter, Prince Arthur and Princess Patricia, left this city today on a shooting expedition in East Africa. They will make their headquarters at Nairobi and will cover much of the ground over which Col. Roosevelt hunted.

Overcoat Week at "Talbot's"
Another Revision of Prices "Downward"
More Small Lots and Odd Garments Find Their Way to the Bargain Tables

YOUR SIZE IS HERE On Some Style. It's Great Value as Priced Today.

$15.00 Some of our finest Overcoats put into this lot. Many of them from "Hart, Schaffner & Marx." Black Kersey and Fancy Coatings, with the roll collar or the military cut that sold this season at $20, $22, $25.
(All new coats and our best sellers.)

$12.50 For Overcoats that sold at $16.50, $18 and $20. Military or regular cut coats in Black Kersey and Fancies in a variety of nobby colors and models.
(Small lots and odd coats in all sizes.)

$7.75 A lot of good Coats at a very low price. Oxford Gray and Fancies in men's and young men's models that sold at $10, $12 and $15.
(Some great values in this lot.)

BOYS' OVERCOATS AT TWO PRICES FOR SATURDAY

$4.00
80 Boys' Overcoats in the military collar style, the Reefer and the Russian. All sizes in the lot, 3 to 16 years, in a big variety of fine Coats that sold for $5, $6, $7, $8. Priced for Saturday..... $4

$2.00
60 Boys' Overcoats in the long Coat, the three-quarter length and the Russian. All sizes in the lot from 3 to 16 years, that sold at $4, $5, $6. Priced for Saturday..... $2

Hat Specials Three dozen of the new Plush Hats. The latest young men's fad and a big seller at $2.00. On sale here at..... $1.50

The TALBOT Clothing Company
The Store That's Light As Day
AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, CENTRAL ST., COR. OF WARREN.

A BOY BURGLAR

Was Caught in House in Newton

NEWTON, Jan. 21.—James H. Geagan, a boy of 12, was arrested last night in the residence of Mrs. David Farquar, 136 Woodland road, Auburndale, after he had effected an entrance while Policeman Richard Goode lay concealed within.

Geagan is already held under bonds for a further hearing on a warrant charging the forging and uttering of two worthless checks.

For several nights past Mrs. Farquar has been missing small articles from her residence. She complained to the police and Goode was assigned to the case.

Three nights in succession he has waited for another visit of the burglar, while Mrs. Farquar has been on a visit out of town. Last night he heard a noise at the door and heard a sound like that of a key turning the lock.

A moment later young Geagan stood in the hallway and Goode seized his prisoner, who made no resistance. The youngster was taken to the police headquarters at West Newton, where he was held for arraignment this morning on the charge of breaking and entering.

Early in November, Geagan, with another boy, was arrested, charged with forging and passing two worthless checks for small amounts on a West Newton coal company. His case has been several times continued and still awaits final disposition.

Geagan is the son of Patrick Geagan, a coachman, residing at 74 Grove street, Auburndale.

TRYING TO END STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Counter-propositions looking toward the ending of the shirtwaist makers' strike in this city, were made last night by both the operators and the manufacturers. The operators asked that the issues be submitted to a board of arbitration. The manufacturers stated their willingness to submit the points at issue to a board as proposed by the strikers but stipulate that they will continue to maintain "open shops" and only take back as many of their former employes as they need.

STAR THEATRE
Admission 5c Seats Free
Torrelli's Circus
10 Ponies—3 Dogs—Bessie, the Unridable Mule

By J. E. CONANT & CO. Auctioneers
OFFICE, LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS.

The Meriden Woolen Company to be liquidated. The plant and much stock at Meriden, Connecticut, to be dispersed. Pledged to absolute sale.

THE REAL ESTATE
by common repute, is one of the best manufacturing properties in the State, and will be sold in one lot—possesses its own long spur track and independent water supply.

THE MACHINERY
and mechanical equipment as a whole is good—part modern, another part new—to be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

THE STOCK
and yarns, which are very desirable, are in great quantity and attractively divided into lots. Meriden has a great many widely known high-class diversified manufacturing industries and unlimited skilled and unskilled labor—is the centre for the manufacture of silverware in the U. S.—is on both the "Springfield Line" and the Hartford Line," New York to Boston. The sale will take place upon the premises regardless of any condition of the weather Thursday, the 27th day of January, 1910, promptly at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon. Illustrated and descriptive catalogue in detail upon application at the office of the Auctioneers, where all inquiries must be made.